

WEATHER—Rain south and snow in north portions late tonight or Wednesday, warmer in east portion tonight. Colder in north portion Wednesday.
Maximum temperature, today, 44, at 1:30 p. m. Minimum, 35, at 4 a. m.

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ROBBERS TRACED THRU MURDER

Killings Near Portsmouth Reveal Gang's Operations

MAN AND WOMAN ARE SLAIN

Perpetrator of Crime Confesses
—Stolen Goods Found

PORTSMOUTH — (By Associated Press) — Evidence unearthed by Police Chief Joseph Distel in connection with the double murder, near Scottsville, indicates that the murdered man, Hugh Nichols, 42, the gun user, Curtis Witherow 30, C. O. N. telegraph operator and Fred Burhoe at whose home the fatal shooting occurred were members of a gang of robbers who have been operating in this section for the past several months.

PROPERTY FOUND
This disclosure was made thru the finding of considerable property at the Witherow and Burhoe homes said to have been stolen. The property uncovered by the officers includes furniture and other articles stolen from the summer camp of W. J. Bauer, real estate dealer, some months ago, in addition to valuable chemical and athletic equipment thought to belong to the Ironton high school. A warrant has been issued for Burhoe's arrest.

SLAYER CAPTURED

The gun user, Witherow, died as a bad man by officials, was captured unarmed and without assistance, asleep in a caboose on a freight train near Chillicothe last night. He confessed to the murder of Nichols, but said he did not know Mrs. Nichols was also a victim of his shooting. Witherow said he had been drunk for ten days prior to the shooting and said that was the only excuse he had.

The prisoner shot and instantly killed Nichols Sunday night when he called Nichols to the door of Burhoe's home, where Mr. and Mrs. Nichols were visiting, and shot him thru the heart. When his wife, Leona Nichols, heard the shot she rushed to the door and was shot down in her tracks. She died Monday night without regaining consciousness.

HALT IN WEDDING STIRS SOCIETY

Guests Assembled at Chicago Church—Principals Absent

CHICAGO — (By United Press) — Chicago still gasped today over the failure of the wedding of Miss Mary Landon Baker and Allister McCormick to materialize.

Miss Baker and McCormick, the leaders of Chicago's younger set, were to have been married yesterday.

The fashionable Presbyterian church was crowded with guests — Chicago's social elite — when the appointed hour grew near, as the introduction of the wedding march was played. There was a pause. The march was started over and over again.

The Rev. John Timothy Stone, pastor, addressed the hushed assembly.

He said: "Owing to a sudden indisposition of Miss Baker, there will be no wedding."

Guests buzzed. They made for the exits.

At the Baker apartment, Miss Baker was under the care of a physician and could not be seen.

The bridegroom was at his home. He refused to see all friends.

McCormick is the nephew of Harold I. McCormick, head of the International Harvester Company, who was recently killed by his wife.

His daughter, John D. Rockefeller.

BASEMENTS FLOODED
CLEVELAND — More than a score of city blocks were flooded and hundreds of residents aroused from sleep by the bursting of a water main early today on Central-ave.

Water varying in depth from four feet to six inches flooded basements in the section and caused a near panic among residents. Police said the property damage would be considerable.

YOUNG MAN'S DEATH
CINCINNATI — A young man, 21, was killed by a train here today.

The victim was identified by his mother as a student of the University of Cincinnati.

He was killed by a freight train while crossing the tracks.

The body was found near the tracks.

The cause of the accident is being investigated.

The police are looking for witnesses.

The body was taken to the morgue.

The funeral will be held tomorrow.

The burial will be in the city cemetery.

The family is mourning.

JURY PROBES KERSHAW MURDER

SET NEW AIR RECORD, BUT—



FLOYD BERTAUD (LEFT), AND EDWARD STINSON, WHO BROKE WORLD'S AIR ENDURANCE RECORD. INSET, THEIR PLANE, THE J.L-6.

First Child Born Is a Girl; Eleven Others Reported

A GIRL, Margery Jane, weight 7 pounds, born one hour and 38 minutes after the new year was ushered in, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hudnut, 945 W. High-st., was the first child born in 1922. Dr. Allen N. Wisely telephoned this information bright and early Sunday.

Margery Jane, who will receive a \$10 savings deposit from The Lima News and American Bank, was not the only child born early in 1922. There were eleven others, two of whom will receive \$10 savings deposits each.

Charles Robert, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Saltgarber, 544 W. Spring-st., was the second arrival. Dr. W. H. Parent announced the time as 3:45 Sunday morning. Charles, Jr., weighed 8 pounds. He will receive a \$10 savings deposit from Dr. John H. Blattenberg.

Virgil Clark, weight 8 pounds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence E. Stover, 123 1/2 E. Euclid-st., was the third to arrive. Clarence will receive a savings account of \$10 from Edward G. Scott of St. Rita's hospital. Dr. Charles L. Stier announced the time of his birth as 5:39 Sunday morning.

Dr. J. C. Bradford announced that a baby girl, Matilda, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Page, 143 W. Third-st., at 8 Sunday morning. She weighed 7 pounds.

A girl, Della Mae, was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Staples, 321 S. Baxter-st., at 8:30 a. m. Sunday, according to report furnished by Dr. E. G. Weadock.

Charles Blaine arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin R. Boose, 210 S. Union-st., at 12:05 Sunday afternoon, according to the record of Dr. I. E. Steiner.

A girl weighing 8 1/2 pounds was born to Mr. and Mrs. William Page, 1230 S. Main-st., at 3:35 Sunday afternoon. Dr. J. C. Bradford reported.

Dr. M. H. Pulsfield announced the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Fox, 1414 Normal-av., at 9:45 Sunday night.

Dr. V. H. Hay reported the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Sifer, 694 S. Union-st., at 3:45 Monday morning. Hay also reported the birth of a daughter at 3:30 Monday afternoon to Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kendall, E. Third-st.

A son, Guy, Jr., was born to Mr. and Mrs. Guy Swamer, 601 Findlay-av., at 5 Monday afternoon. Dr. A. C. Adams reported.

Dr. J. R. Johnson reported the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Rusch, 136 Harrison-av., at 5:45 Tuesday morning.

RIDICULE FEARED

Heroes Say They're Thru With Endurance Tests in Sky

NEW YORK — (Special) — Fear of one another's ridicule is the only thing that enabled Edward Stinson and Floyd Bertaud, Minnesota field flyers, to set a new world's endurance flight record.

They stayed in the air 26 hours, 13 minutes and 55 seconds. That's two hours longer than anyone else ever has remained in the sky in a plane.

Stinson and Bertaud made their record at night in the teeth of a zero wind. At 2 a. m., their auxiliary oil feed broke, spraying them with oil. Then they had to forswear their warm cabin and stand outside, oiling the motor by hand.

"How could I stand it?" said Stinson. "Only because my wife signaled encouragement to me all night long."

"Many times the thought came to me that we were a couple of fools up there freezing for nothing. But I was ashamed to tell Bertaud. He looked game."

Bertaud laughed. "I was thinking the same thing," he said.

"Never again for me!" Stinson said.

"Just wait till they get thawed out," said Mrs. Stinson. "Eddie's going to smash that record within two years if I have anything to say about it."

3,000,000 BUSHELS OF CORN PURCHASED FOR RUSSIA

WASHINGTON — More than 3,000,000 bushels of corn has been bought by the purchasing commission for Russian relief and one shipload of 240,000 bushels left New Orleans, December 31, the American Bureau Federation today said it had been informed by Don Livingston, commissioner of agriculture of North Dakota. The corn has been bought it was said, for delivery on shipboard at New Orleans, Baltimore and New York.

The men remained another hour and then fled, threatening to return and murder the entire family if the police were notified.

Mr. and Mrs. Churchill were removed to the receiving hospital. They are seriously injured and burned, surgeons said.

OUSTER DEFIED BY CITY MANAGER

Council Demands Resignation of Akron's Administrator

GIVEN UNTIL JAN. 10 TO QUIT

Bitter Fight in G. O. P. Ranks Expected to Result

AKRON — (By Associated Press) Administrator W. J. Laub refused today to comment upon the action taken by the new city council yesterday in passing a measure demanding his resignation. His supporters, however, said that he probably would fight the issue.

They added that he attempted to take advantage of provisions of Akron's home rule charter which says that charges must be preferred against the administrator and that he be given a public hearing before he can be dismissed.

FACTIONAL FIGHT LOOMS

Councilmen who are backing the movement to oust the administrator said such procedure is not mandatory. They declared that Laub's resignation must be in the hands of council by January 10, the date of the next meeting, or he will be summarily dismissed.

A factional fight in the local Republican organization looms as the result of the steps taken by the new council. Six of the eight members of the council who voted to demand the administrator's resignation are Republicans. Laub has long been a leader in local Republican organization. His friends predict a political warfare to the finish.

Laub is Akron's first city manager. He was elected mayor two years ago when Akron's home rule charter was adopted and was immediately appointed by council chief administrator. His salary is \$10,000 a year.

FAMILY TORTURED WITH HOT IRONS

Home Stormed by Bandits at Los Angeles

LOS ANGELES — (By United Press) — Three masked bandits held the family of C. F. Churchill prisoner for nearly three hours today and tortured them with red-hot irons and clubs, according to a report to the police department.

Churchill and his wife reported to the police that they were sitting in the front room of their home when the masked men entered.

They demanded Mrs. Churchill give them \$700. When she refused, the bandits knocked her to the floor. Churchill was beaten unmercifully.

The thieves again questioned the couple as to the whereabouts of their money. Unable to gain the information, they heated irons and applied them to the chests of Mr. and Mrs. Churchill.

FORCED TO DISOBEY

When the Churchills' two daughters, Florence and Mildred, in company with J. J. Jacquet, returned to the home, they were held up and marched into the "torture room."

The thugs then forced Mrs. Churchill to disobey, according to the police report, under threat of attacking her daughters. Churchill, injured, again rushed to his wife's assistance and was clubbed into unconsciousness.

The men remained another hour and then fled, threatening to return and murder the entire family if the police were notified.

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WIFE, DEMOCRAT, IS G. O. P. MAYOR'S AIDE



Mr. and Mrs. Lew Shank

Indianapolis, Ind. — (Special) — Lew Shank, new mayor of Indianapolis, thinks the old adage about a prophet being without honor in his own country, is a misprint.

Per, look what Lew has done!

With all Indianapolis pushing candidates forward for a position on the board of park commissioners, he up and appoints his own wife.

And this in spite of the fact that she is on a different side of the fence politically.

Lew was elected on the Republican ticket. He is a Methodist. The Mrs. is a Democrat and attends the Baptist church.

"I could have appointed another woman but I know Sarah's qualifications and I know I can count on her to carry out my pledges. One of the main ones is to give playgrounds to all the kids."

AMERICANS CLASH WITH ITALIANS

U. S. Sailor Slain in Street Fight At Shanghai

SHANGHAI — (By United Press) — One American sailor is dead and four others are suffering from knife wounds today as the result of a series of street fights between Italian and American sailors here.

E. J. Keeby, of the sunboat Wilmington, died of his injuries.

A brawl in a cafe in which an Italian sailor was beaten by an American, led to general street fighting, in which parties from an Italian man of war hunted down isolated groups of Americans and attacked them with knives.

Fifteen Americans who were badly outnumbered were injured.

Shore leave has been stopped and American authorities are investigating the disturbances.

BANDITS TAKE \$10,000.

LOS ANGELES — Three bandits armed with sawed-off shotguns held up three collectors for a drug company in its store on the busiest street in the downtown quarters today and escaped in an automobile with a sum estimated by the concern at about \$10,000.

BELLHOP MAY BE INDICTED

Insanity Plea Anticipated in Nierengarten Case

LIMA PEOPLE SUMMONED

Auglaize-co Grand Jury to Report Finding Soon

That the Auglaize-co grand jury, now sifting the evidence against Harold Nierengarten, 20, former bell boy, held as the murderer of "Scotty" Kershaw, will return an indictment, was predicted by officials at Wapakoneta, Tuesday. The probe began Monday.

The Auglaize-co court house is thronged with witnesses, largely persons from Lima who are to tell what they know in the case.

GIRL WIDOW CALLED

Among them is Mrs. Jeanne Kershaw, girl-widow of the murdered man. The strain of the dramatic incidents of the past five weeks, have told plainly on the pretty French girl. She was accompanied by Miss Eda Ballard, with whom she is living at present.

Another witness is Chief of Police M. P. Dawson and others are trainmen, police officers and residents here who will tell of the bell boy's whereabouts on the day of the murder.

Members of the Nierengarten family were at Wapakoneta. It is rumored they were summoned before the grand jury to testify as to the boy's sanity.

MAY REPORT TUESDAY.
The grand jury is expected to complete its labors late Tuesday or Wednesday and report. They have few other matters to consider, aside from the Kershaw murder.

Joseph Scott Kershaw, 21, veteran of the world war, in which he served with the 37th Division, was murdered on a Baltimore & Ohio freight train November 20. His dead body was discovered by trainmen.

His wife identified the body from a description printed in The Lima News. Nierengarten was arrested for the crime and confessed.

INSANITY PLEA POSSIBLE.
It is believed that if indicted he will seek to prove insanity. He and members of his family allege he was injured by a blow in the head in Texas last spring. They also charge that the boy's intellect was impaired by ill treatment in penal institutions.

Another claim which may be put forward, is that Kershaw was murdered on orders of a dope fixer. It is alleged that narcotic investigators, responsible for the recent cleanup in Lima and Mt. Victory, may be summoned before the Auglaize-co grand jury to testify.

MAY OUST MINERS

Operators Ask Court to Banish Tent Colonies

HUNTINGTON, W. Va. — (By United Press) — Thru federal court decisions, the coal operators of the Williamson fields of West Virginia hope to banish the tent colonies, at least here today.

Demands have been made in the Indianapolis federal court that the United Mine Workers be prohibited from sending money into West Virginia to feed and clothe the tent colonists. An order to effect the colonists will be sought in the West Virginia federal court, according to attorneys.

The Indianapolis decision of the Boardland Coal Corporation against the United Mine Workers, remanded from the United States circuit court of appeals, is expected Thursday.

Operators insisted the tent colonies, quarantining miners and their families, prevent the unobstructed operation of mines in the Williamson field.

"THE SNOWSHOE TRAIL"—Opening Chapter of First Great Novel of the Year to Be Presented By The News

By EDISON MARSHALL

DEAR MR. BRONSON: I am informed, by the head of your provincial commission, that you can be employed as guide for hunting parties wishing to hunt in the Clearwater, north of Bradbury. I do not wish to hunt there, but I wish to hunt in the country in search of my fiancée, Mr. Harold Lounsbury, of whom doubtless you have heard, and who disappeared in the Clearwater district six years ago. I will be accompanied by Mr. Lounsbury's uncle, Kenly Lounsbury, and I wish you to secure the outfit and a man to cook at once. You will be paid the usual outfitter's rates for thirty days. We will arrive in Bradbury September twentieth by stage.

Bill Bronson to the brink of Grizzly River on a snow-driven day of October. In his party were Kenly Lounsbury, his nephew's fiancée, Virginia, and Bronson's cook, Vosper.

The weather, promising fair when they had ridden out of Bradbury into the forest, had turned cold. A heavy snow blanketed the forest; a snow that might have induced Bill Bronson to turn back, except for two things.

One was the promise that he had given Virginia Tremont to find her lost lover — man whom he dimly recollected as having met several years previously. The other was that this trip into the wilderness gave him one more chance to look for his father's lost mine, somewhere beyond Grizzly River.

Bronson's father and a man named Rutherford had discovered this mine; they worked it together for a season — and then no more could be heard of them or their whereabouts till it was verified

that Rutherford had crossed from Canada into the States with the whole season's gleanings of gold, amounting to a vast sum. Beyond the border he disappeared completely — and only the possible deduction was that he had murdered

the elder Bronson and stolen the gold. The trip from Bradbury to Grizzly River had been an arduous one. On the other side was a cabin which Bronson had erected as part of the chain he used when trapping.

The river, flowing wild, threatened death. But beyond was comfort. Kenly Lounsbury, fresh from the office where he had amassed wealth by his wits, wanted that comfort. "Can't you try the ford?" he demanded of Bill.

"Sure, if you want," answered the ruddy, tall, straight, square-shouldered, but a dauntless but not lacking in courage.

As Bill rode into those grey and terrible waters on Mulvaney, a horse whose mettle equaled his rider's, Virginia Tremont's first instinct was to call him back, but for a single second she hesitated.

Then she pressed forward to the water's bank on Butler, a mount with heart of steel but lacking in the stamina that had given Mulvaney a name through the Clearwater.

"Oh, come back!" she finally found words. "Bronson — Bill — come back. Oh, why did I ever let you go?"

For Bill did not look around. Already the sound of the waters had obscured the voices on the shore. Again she called, unheard. Then she lashed her horse with the bridle rein.

The animal strode down into the water. Vosper, his craven soul

whimpering within him, had fallen to the last place in the line, but Lounsbury tried to seize her bridle as she pushed forward.

"Where are you going, you little fool?" he cried. "Come back."

The girl turned her head. Her face was white. "You told him to go in," she replied. "Now — it's the sporting thing — to follow him."

The water splashed about her horse's knee. A dim ghost in the half-light, Bill still rode on toward the opposite shore. And now — full halfway across — he was in the full force of the current.

It was all too plain that his horse was battling for its life. But Mulvaney was true. Perhaps some of his rider's strength went into his thighs and sustained him. Slowly the water dropped lower. He was almost to safety.

At that instant Bill glanced

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POISON RUM PROBE IS ORDERED

Grand Jury Investigates Situation at Cleveland

CITY BECOMES ALARMED

News in Brief Gathered From Ohio Cities

CLEVELAND — (By Associated Press) — A grand jury investigation into the wholesale disposal of "poison liquor" by Cleveland's bootleggers who are reaping a harvest of cash in exchange for whiskey, was ordered today by Common Pleas Judge Frederick J. Wither, presiding judge of criminal court.

In his charge, which came at the opening of the January term, Judge Wither characterized the poison booze situation in Cleveland as "appalling and alarming."

He instructed the jurors to seek out those responsible for the sale of the murderous bottled whiskey and to return indictments that will bring them before the bar of justice.

MARION MAN KILLED

MARION Charles Andrews was instantly killed in the plant of the Marion Steam Shovel company when a casing fell on him. He was a brother of Assistant Adjutant General T. E. Andrews.

FARMER KILLS SELF

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — A farmer, committed suicide by shooting himself thru the head.

MANAGER'S SALARY CUT

SANDUSKY — The salary of the city manager was reduced from \$5,500 a year to \$4,000 with no allowance for expenses, by the new city ordinance, which ousted George M. Zimmerman as city manager and appointed C. Webb Sadler, Sandusky business man.

SHIP WORK CONTINUES

CLEVELAND — The New York Central railroad will continue to operate its car repair and locomotive shops at Collinwood.

SHOOTING GIRL KILLS SELF

CINCINNATI — After shooting and seriously wounding Miss Shaw, at Mentor, Ky., Algie Jolly, 22, fired a bullet into his brain, dying instantly.

GOVERNMENT FILM TO BE SHOWN FOR MEN ONLY

"Fit to Win," a four-reel motion picture film shown by the government to service men during the war, will be presented in Lima Thursday and Friday to men only, under the auspices of the industrial department of the Y. M. C. A. Riddle, industrial secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will show the film at the Lincoln Engine House Thursday evening after the regular film program. No boys under 16 will be permitted to be present.

The pictures will be shown at the Sigma theatre Friday morning at 11 o'clock. Three courtesies of Manager Wilks, no admission will be charged. Again men only will be admitted.

Immediately after the regular entertainment at Engine House No. 6, S. Main and Lafayette streets, the film will again be reproduced. It is possible to make arrangements, "Fit to Win" will be shown the older boys at Central and South High schools.

LIMA COUPLE MARRIED AT MICHIGAN GETNA GREEN

Fred C. Keller, 19, machine tender, 410 Pennsylvania av., and Miss Loretta Dorothy Snyder, 20, of 514 Pennsylvania av., were married in Monroe, Mich., Saturday, according to advices received here Tuesday.

Keller is employed at the Banta candy factory. At his home Tuesday it was said Keller had gone to Monroe, Mich., for a short vacation. His family had not been apprised of the wedding, they said.

JACKSON-TY FARMER DIES, RESULT OF FALL

Daniel Driver, who would have reached his 88th birthday Tuesday, died Monday at 11 a. m., at his home in Jackson, Tenn., due to injuries from a broken hip, suffered in a fall ten days ago.

He was a retired farmer. For 21 years he had been a widower. He resided with his son, J. W. Driver. Surviving are five other children, Mrs. Nancy Joseph, Mrs. Lydia Leedy, Mrs. Ella Kogler, the Rev. S. L. Driver, all residing in Lima, and Mrs. Sarah Cripe, in Illinois.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 10 a. m., at Sugar Creek church. Rev. David Ryerly will officiate. Interment will be in Sugar Creek cemetery.

MEN AND MATTERS.

W. J. Shook and Joe Fisher, in charge of the Lima House barber shop, Tuesday took over the shop in the basement of the Argonne hotel, from Dave and Young. Chas. Baum will hereafter have charge of the Lima House tonorial department.

ST. MARY'S WOMAN DIES

ST. MARY'S — Funeral services were held Monday for Mrs. Catherine Warman, 19, whose death was due to paralysis, induced by a fall a year and a half ago, in which she sustained a broken hip. Fire, starting in the roof of the Warman home Saturday, caused slight damage.

VISITOR FROM TOLEDO.

Mother Margaret Mary, former superintendent of St. Rita's hospital, now superintendent of Mercy hospital, Toledo, has arrived for a visit with Sisters of Mercy and her former associates at St. Rita's hospital.

PLAY PLANS CHANGED.

The play entitled "Not a Man in Heaven," which was to have been presented by the United Brethren church at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium Friday, Jan. 6, has been changed and will be presented at the United Brethren church auditorium, Spring and Union streets on the same date.

RAIN OR SNOW IS PREDICTION

Pulling weather was in the air Tuesday morning, in perfect accord with the advance predictions made by the forecaster.

A sharp thaw indicated the coming of rain a little later as outlined by the weatherman, who has confidence in his rain vision, however, it may be snow. He has provided for that contingency.

Whatever it is, one or the other, he is justified. Rain south and rain or snow in north portions late tonight or Wednesday is the outlook. Warmer in east portion tonight. Colder in north portion Wednesday.

LIMA NOW UNDER NEW GOVERNMENT

Commission - Manager Plan Swings Into Action

Lima's commission-manager form of government officially swung into motion Monday night with the swearing in of the commissioners and Clarence A. Bingham, as manager.

Other than the reading and adoption of a few resolutions fixing the salaries of the new appointees and clerks who are to serve under the new administration, little business was done. Paul T. Landis, city solicitor, opened the first official meeting of the manager and commission by administering the oath of office. Bingham asked the greater portion of Tuesday in secret conference with members of the old administration. During the morning he was escorted by Elmer McClain, service director under the old plan, and D. W. Morris, former safety director. Manager Bingham automatically assumed the duties of both offices.

Ira P. Clem, new city auditor, spent Tuesday in going over the department with retiring auditor Evans D. Sellers. P. A. Burkhardt, ex-manager, was in his former office at an early hour, ready to explain any detail of business pending for the action of his successor.

No announcement had been made up to noon as to the possible action of the administration during the next few days. Manager Bingham was busy in going over business requiring action turned over by the outgoing city officials.

Amendments to the old city ordinance setting the salaries of the city auditor and solicitor were made at the initial meeting Monday. Hereafter the city auditor will draw \$2,500, and the city solicitor \$3,000 annually. A clerk for the city manager and who will also act as clerk for the commission will receive \$1,200 a year. The appointment was not made. Two clerks in the city auditor's office will receive salaries of \$1,500 and \$1,100 annually. A clerk in the city solicitor's office will draw a salary of \$900.

Harold Cunningham was named permanent president of the commission Monday night. John A. Farley will serve as vice-president. Miss Jeanette Stoenbach, who acted in the capacity of temporary clerk at the first official meeting of the commission, and who served as secretary for the commission since its inception, was not given a permanent appointment Monday evening.

At the first meeting of the old administration, a large crowd came to the new. Old city officials were engaged throughout the day, Monday, in seeing the city manager and explaining the details of their offices. Manager Bingham intimated he would make no announcement regarding appointments for a day or so, at least. The office of purchasing agent for the city remains the most important appointment yet to be made.

THREE ADMIT NEW YEAR REVELRY INTOXICATION

Four prisoners, charged with intoxication, the result of the drive by the police department on noisy New Year's celebrations, were arraigned in criminal court Tuesday.

They are: Harry H. Kemp, 35; Seattle Leonard, 20; G. W. Smith, 27, and J. J. Smith, 45. All admitted their guilt save Leonard, who told Judge Jackson the police made a mistake in his case. He will be tried at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday.

MAYOR WILLIAMS HEADS NEW DELPHOS OFFICIALS

DELPHOS — J. K. Williams was inducted into office as mayor here Monday, succeeding H. J. Bowman. True Welch is president of council, R. A. Lindemann city solicitor, W. H. Schaeffer city auditor, S. H. Wahnhoff treasurer.

John E. Bryan, service director, was reappointed. Frank Grothouse is fire chief; L. C. Allinger sinking fund trustee; Miss Jane Brotherton, Frank Scherger and Rev. George Gibson members of the city board.

J. Carroll, member of health board, and E. J. Under member of civil service commission, E. E. Kimball superintendent of cemetery.

John Scherger, John Lehnkuhle and Wilbur Pitts are members of council at large, with John Altenberger, Frank Pfeiffer, Ben Davis and Eugene Metcalf as ward councilmen.

GENSEL IS PRESIDENT OF CITY SCHOOL BOARD

All public and parochial schools in the city resumed classes Tuesday morning, following the annual holiday vacation. Nearly 8,000 pupils returned to their classes in the two high schools and the grade buildings.

A meeting of the board of education was held Monday evening, with the two new members, Volney Austin and Homer Hughes, replacing Dr. Hoyer and Guy Butler. Organization of the new board for 1932 was completed, that being the only business before the meeting. J. W. Gensel was named president; P. W. Mullenback, vice-president, and Fred W. Colvert, clerk.

The board will meet at 7:30 p. m. on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.

CLASH OVER IRISH PACT RENEWED

Treaty Vigorously Attacked as the Daily Reconvenes

VOTE EXPECTED THIS WEEK

Ratification is Demanded by the Farmers

DUBLIN — (By Associated Press) — The Daily Freeman lost no time after reconvening today following its holiday recess in plunging again into sharp debate on the Anglo-Irish treaty. It had before it once more in order of the day calling for consideration of both Arthur Griffith's irredentist motion and Eamon De Valera's alternative proposals.

It was not generally thought the debate would run many days longer, many members anticipating a vote by Thursday night or Friday. An opponent of the treaty, Art O'Connor of South Kildare, Dail minister of agriculture, opened today's debate with an argument that the treaty was a step backward and a declaration of belief today the real heart of the Irish people had not changed, despite the numerous resolutions by various bodies in favor of the pact.

UNIONISTS ATTACKED

O'Connor asserted the campaign since the Dail's adjournment had in reality hurt the treaty, declaring it had been waged by people who "had never done any good work for the country and were now howling at us." He attacked the southern Unionists, saying the people of Ireland would have none of them in the Irish free state.

O'Connor was interrupted several times during his address, notably by Michael Collins, who resented his attack on resolutions favoring the treaty passed by meetings of farmers and other public bodies. Collins called attention to the sufferings of the rural population whose houses had been burned on all sides.

MORE COUNTRIES FOR PACT

Five more counsels, Limerick, North Tipperary, Tyrone, Louth and Wexford, yesterday added their voices to the chorus approving the treaty.

The majority of the farmers on the question is a notable feature of the demand for ratification.

This morning's newspapers appended to the Dail to heed the necessities of the country, one of them saying "the Dail must decide whether it is a democratic or an autocratic body."

The peace agreement has been under agreement by the Dail since December 14, and it was generally believed here today that the present situation would not be protracted.

EXHILATED IRISHMEN

Just before the Dail was called to order a buzz of excitement was caused by the distribution of an order of the day similar to the one circulated before adjournment, calling for Arthur Griffith's motion for ratification of the treaty, and Eamon De Valera's alternative proposals.

The inference drawn from this was that De Valera, whatever might be the vote on the treaty, would submit his plan to the Dail.

Art O'Connor, deputy for South Kildare, and Dail minister of agriculture, an opponent of the treaty, was the first speaker at today's session. He argued that those outside "howling at the Dail to support the treaty" were men who had never done anything for the country. Premier Lloyd George, he said, had broken Irish unity "into a spectrum of colors from extreme purple to extreme red." The treaty was a step backward and not one forward, he asserted.

Michael Collins interrupted the speaker at this point. "The farmers have a right to speak, their houses have been burned all over the country," he angrily exclaimed.

WAPAK MAN ARRESTED ON FORGERY CHARGE

Homer Myers, 25, Wapakoneta, arrested here Sunday on a warrant issued by Justice of the Peace R. G. Herrmann of Wapakoneta, charging him with passing a forged check, was turned over to an officer from Auglaize county Monday.

He was held to the grand jury at Wapakoneta. Myers is a salesman, and is charged with giving a forged check to Roy Dobie, Wapakoneta.

ENGRAVING PLANTS AT COLUMBUS ARE CLOSED

COLUMBUS — Suspension of operations at local commercial engraving plants, resulting from failure to effect a new agreement between employers and engravers, became effective today at plants of the Terry Engraving Company and Bucher Engraving Company.

Employers said their case was in the hands of their national employers' organization, the American Photo Engravers Association, and that the situation remained to be ironed out by that organization. About 25 engravers are affected. Employers propose a wage cut with continuation of the 44-hour week or a continuation of present wages with an increase to a 48-hour week.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles Marion Myers, 25, garage worker, 220 Prospect av., and Mrs. Mayme Alice Stuker, 28, stenographer, 400 E. Third-st., were married here Monday.

Floyd Elms Kirkendall, 23, conductor, Wapakoneta, and Miss Lynetta Mae Spencer, 18, of 816 S. Metcalf-st., were married here Monday.

Samuel Gray Alexander, 67, teamster, Bradford, Ohio, and Mrs. Catherine Charlotte Neuhans, 52, domestic, 807 N. Elizabeth-st., were married here Monday.

Ralph Eugene Blake, 21, salesman, Marion, Ohio, and Miss Edna Lola Kline, 22, milliner, 311 Calumet-av., were married here Monday.

Leroy Edward Miller, 23, civil engineer, 845 Dewey-av. and Miss Hope Robinson, 20, of 333 Prospect-av., were married here Monday.

Ernest Galt Hentelshon, 28, clerk, 613 S. Pine-st. and Miss Leah Flinn, 23, book-keeper, 212 W. O'Connor-av., were married here Monday.

Donald Franklin McGinnis, 24, salesman, Creston, Ia., and Miss Margaret Elizabeth Abrams, 23, of 128 S. Metcalf-st., were married here Monday.

Mark Kent, 19, wholesale supply business, 810 W. High-st. and Miss Frances Griebling, 21, stenographer, 414 Nye-st., were married here Monday.

BANK, JEWELRY STORE, BARBER SHOP VACATE THE SAME BUILDING

Many patrons of the American bank walked into the building at the southwest corner of Main and High-sts. Tuesday, to find the room a mass of debris and a corps of workmen busy tearing out the fixtures.

Then they remembered that the bank was to move to a temporary location January 1, on W. High-st. in the room just east of the post-office.

Since the close of business Saturday the bank was entirely moved to the temporary quarters.

Out of the same building Alexander's tonorial shop was moved over New Year's to its new home under "Doc" Baldwin's Central Drug store, southeast corner of Main and High-sts.

Rasinger's Jewelry store moved across the street from its old location, next door to the American bank, to the first door south of the Public Drug store.

The Woolworth store, now located in the Phoenix block, will occupy the vacated building, or the present structure will be razed and a new one erected.

HARDWARE, GROCERY DEALER SUMMONED

Dwight W. Baumgardner, 32, hardware and grocery merchant, died at his home, 256 N. Colcord, Monday night.

Besides his wife, Minnie, he leaves two children, Louise 8 and Ned 2; a daughter, and son, Rev. and Mrs. Jacob Baumgardner of Forest; a son, brother, Rev. G. M. Baumgardner, Lima; and two sisters, Miss Josie Forest and Mrs. Chas. G. McKinney, N. Metcalf-st.

The father of the deceased, now pastor of the M. E. church at Forest, was formerly a resident of Lima. The brother is pastor of Epworth church here, where the funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Rev. Kelley, pastor of Grace M. E. church, will officiate.

THUMM TRIAL WEDNESDAY ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Trial of R. L. Thumm, charged with embezzling \$27.85 from Jacob Renz, by whom he was employed, will be held Wednesday at 1 p. m. in the court of William H. Guyton, justice of the peace.

Thumm pleaded not guilty when arraigned. Warrant for his arrest was sworn to by W. J. Renz.

J. H. BAKER PROPERTY INVENTORIES \$5,000

The property of Jacob H. Baker, late of 848 W. Spring-st., amounted to \$5,000 in real estate, according to documents filed in probate court Tuesday.

Mrs. Mariah Belle Baker the widow, was named executrix. Harry MacDonald, Emmitt Dwyer and O. E. Davis were named appraisers.

SIMMONS TRIAL IS SET; LECHLEITNER'S DEFERRED

Trial of James Lechleitner, indicted by the recent grand jury, charged with theft of an automobile, was deferred Tuesday, because of absence of a material witness. Lechleitner was indicted on a charge of larceny.

Trial of Jud Simmons, indicted on a charge of carrying concealed weapons, will be held Wednesday. Simmons was arrested in September.

TWO ARE FINED ON STATUTORY CHARGES

Abel Stiveron, 28, of 224 S. Elizabeth-st., cigar maker, and J. W. Matthews, 21, Wapakoneta, auto mechanic, arrested by Officers Landfair and Glover at 226 S. Elizabeth-st., under suspicious circumstances, were fined \$50 each in criminal court Tuesday when they admitted their guilt.

Mrs. Mary McMillan, 28, was taken into custody at the same time and was held on \$100 bond, charged with being the keeper of a resort. Her trial is set for Saturday.

CITY OF LIMA EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT LIMA, OHIO

January 2nd, 1932.

The Lima News Publishing Company, Lima, Ohio.

Gentlemen:

In the issue of the Lima News and Times Democrat dated December 30th, 1931, there appeared an article on the first page with large headline, such article purporting to give facts relative to investigation and cost of water and expenses to be paid by taxpayers of the city of Lima. Several erroneous, false and untrue statements are made in the article indicated as appeared in the last column of the first page. For instance—"Court costs, none of which have been paid, are piling higher and higher, records of the common pleas and appeals court show."

"TAXPAYERS FOOT BILL"

"Thru actions have been threatened out in common pleas court in the past month. Mayor Burkhardt has lost in all three. He is not liable for the costs. The taxpayers are, however."

Such published statements were false and untrue in the main at time of issue and are now untrue. Of the three actions in common pleas court and one in appellate court, the city will have but trivial costs to pay in one case only. The city saved more money due to the vacancy made by dismissal than the cost amounted to. Furthermore, the saving to the city on pay roll due to suspensions and dismissals in the police department in 1931 are greater in amount than all the court costs and stenographers' fees and transcript costs mentioned in such article.

The taxpayers and others of your readers are entitled to the facts and I hereby request that you give this corrective statement due publicity in your regular issue as required by law and within the time specified by law.

Yours truly,
P. A. BURKHARDT,
Mayor.

STATE OF OHIO, ALLEN COUNTY, ss.

Frank A. Burkhardt, being first duly sworn, says that the foregoing statement and article is true.

P. A. BURKHARDT,
Sworn to before me and in my presence subscribed this 2nd day of January, 1932.

ELMER MCCLAIN,
Notary Public, Allen County, Ohio.

FOUR GREAT BANKS CONSOLIDATED

\$525,000,000 Merger is Expected in City of Chicago

SECOND BIGGEST INSTITUTION

Action Taken to Avert Threatened Disaster

CHICAGO — (By Associated Press) — The Continental and Commercial National Bank and the Continental and Commercial Trust and Savings Bank today formed the second largest banking institution in the United States and the largest west of New York, thru absorption of the Fort Dearborn National Bank and its affiliated institution, the Fort Dearborn Trust and Savings Bank, that action averting what was described as the most serious difficulty which had threatened Chicago's financial district in sixteen years.

The merger was announced late last night after an all day session of the Chicago Clearing House Association and leading financiers, the Continental and Commercial institutions agreeing to assume liabilities of \$50,000,000.

OVER-EXTENSION OF CREDITS

The absorption combines deposits of the four banking institutions at more than \$100,000,000 and total resources at a figure greater than \$250,000,000.

Assets of the Fort Dearborn properties were attributed to over-extension of credits.

"Owing to the over-extension of Edward Tilden and company (chief stockholders of the Fort Dearborn organizations) and some recently made loans and investments which proved to be lost and entailed heavy losses, it was found on examination of the two Fort Dearborn banks by the Chicago Clearing House Association that the capital of both banks had been impaired," said a statement by James B. Morgan, chairman of the Chicago Clearing House committee.

The clearing house banks guaranteed the Continental and Commercial against possible losses to the extent of \$2,500,000 and Fort Dearborn stockholders made a further guaranty of \$1,500,000. In addition there is a capital surplus and undivided profit of approximately \$5,000,000. The Continental also pays approximately \$1,500,000 for the deposits of the two absorbed institutions.

The merger is as of the close of business December 31. Work of moving the Fort Dearborn banks to the Continental was started late last night. The clearing house committee investigated the Drovers National Bank and the Drovers Trust and Savings bank, in which Edward Tilden and Co. is interested, and announced that those banks were solvent.

AMBULANCE REMOVALS

LOCKER: Ballard Wood, City hospital to his home on Marlow-rd. WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: Meritt Kimball, 954 E. High-st. to City hospital. Mrs. E. M. Stantz, St. Rita's hospital to 1510 W. High-st. Mrs. Oscar Holtzapfel, City hospital to her home in Elida; Bert Blair, 585 Harrison-av. to City hospital; Mrs. Merl Simpson, 529 N. Jameson-av. to City hospital; Miss Velma Good, City hospital to home of her father, C. Good, west of Elida; Mrs. Robert Robertson, City hospital to 734 S. Elizabeth-st. W. W. Kantz, City hospital to 644 Ewing-av.; Miss Laura Howard, City hospital to 315 N. Kenilworth-av.

CITY UNDERTAKING COMPANY

Mrs. A. A. Hayes, City hospital to her home, five miles southeast of Lima.

SCHULLER: Mrs. O. G. Brown, City hospital to her home, 418 S. Scott-st.

WILLIAMS AND DAVIS: Mrs. James Jolley, Elmwood Place and Fairview to City hospital, George Rhodes, St. Rita's hospital to 517 S. McDonel-st. Miss Jessie Boone, City hospital to 879 W. Market-st. Mrs. F. R. Klinedinst, 517 E. North-st. to City hospital.

LONG AND BOWERSOCK: Mrs. Edward Vossler, City hospital to her home, 734 Oak-st. Mrs. J. P. Wolf, St. Rita's hospital to 753 W. High-st.

SCHULLER: Miss Ethel Frisinger, City hospital to 621 Center-st.

CRIST FUNERAL TUESDAY

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran church, north of Grider-ville, Tuesday morning, for Henry P. Crist, 82, who died at his home, four and a half miles northwest of Wapakoneta, Saturday.

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The treatment is so simple and the results are so quick and wonderful that parents are amazed. With the first insert a small amount of the Salve in the child's nostrils to clear the head. Then with hand rub salve freely on throat and chest and cover with hot flannel. Immediate relief will result.

Keep Nash's Croup-Pneumonia Salve in the house all the time. It has a hundred uses for children and adults. Break colds and coughs, relieve asthma and bronchitis; fine for chapped hands and face; heals fever blisters, etc.—Adv.

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MARRIAGE LICENSE IS "SCRA" OF PAPER" AS WOMAN CHANGES MIND

One license issued at the holiday season with the object of making glad two hearts, went on the rocks when Ernest M. Botkin, justice of the peace, notified Miss Jessie Miller, marriage license clerk, Tuesday, no return need be expected from that license.

The permit was taken out by Ralph Henry Cattell, 31, carpenter, S. Main-st., and Mrs. Saffie Heil, 39, house-keeper, Forest-ave. Botkins was named to officiate.

Cattell presented himself at Botkin's office, ready for the ceremony. But Mrs. Heil failed to appear. Cattell said she had told him she did not wish to be married.

After several days had elapsed, the justice notified the probate office to make void the license. Mrs. Heil signed the application for the license at the same time she appeared in probate court with Cattell.

HEROLD MACHINE WORKS HEAD TAKEN IN DEATH

Harmon Herold, 48, proprietor of the Herold machine works, Pearl-st., died at his home, 237 Pearl-st. Monday. He is survived by the widow and a son, Louis Herold, 315 S. Main-st. and two grand-children. F. E. Herold, 417 N. Metcalf-st.; Mrs. Peter Schlosser, N. McDonel-st.; Mrs. C. Straley, Pioneer; Miss Mary Herold, Dayton and Mrs. E. C. Finley, Long Island, are surviving brother and sisters.

Funeral services will be held Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at the First Reformed church. The Rev. T. W. Hoernemann, pastor, will officiate. Interment will be in Woodlawn.

GARFORD HEAD SEES BUSINESS REVIVAL

As increase in the number of inquiries regarding motor trucks leads E. A. Williams, president of the Garford Motor Truck company, to believe the industry is on the threshold of a new era.

Williams said Tuesday business seems to be picking up steadily in the east and that a revival has also been noticed along the Pacific coast.

"We have now three times more inquiries than we had last year at this time," Williams said, "which is a good indication that a resumption of business is not far off."

The Garford executive has made several trips thru the east and is a member of Herbert Hoover's Motor Truck Industry committee, which convenes every three months in Washington.

CITY MANAGER BINGHAM IS QUEST OF KIWANIS

Lima Kiwanis celebrated Tuesday noon with a roasting luncheon meeting in the Argonne hotel.

Clarence A. Bingham, new city manager, was the guest of honor. He was introduced by the speaker of the day, Rev. D. N. Kelly, of Grace M. E. church. No special musical program was in order, the club, confining itself to mass singing after the luncheon.

Commissioners Earl J. Rohn, new Kiwanis member, Harold Cunningham and H. L. Eckenridge were introduced at the meeting.

JUDY TRIAL GOES OVER UNTIL FRIDAY

Trial of F. W. Judy, 959 W. Wayne-st., charged with possession of intoxicating liquors, set for Tuesday morning, was postponed for the fourth time.

The hearing on the constitutional right of police officers to invade the home, in search of illicit beverages, will be held at 1:30 p. m. Friday.

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COMPLETE NAVAL PACT NEAR

Conference's Final Adjustment Expected This Week

FAR EAST DISPUTE FLARES

Secret Understanding Between French and Japs Charged

WASHINGTON — (By Associated Press) — Naval experts of the arms conference delegations continued today their study of technical details remaining to be settled in connection with the naval limitation agreement while other naval and Far Eastern

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49c TO **\$1.25**Lisle Hose
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Hose ... **29c**Bungalow Aprons
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IRELAND BOOMED BY TREATY

Air of Liberty Sniffed in the City of Dublin.

PEOPLE'S HEADS UP NOW

Sad Communities Transformed Into State of Happiness.

(BY MILTON BRONNER)

DUBLIN—The moment the visitor to Dublin steps off the train he sniffs something that no man in our time has ever sniffed before—the sweet air of liberty.

There is no mistaking it.

Irishmen are holding their heads up as freemen, as citizens of a self-governing state, even the actual machinery for this purpose has not yet been set up and started going.

The last time I was in the Irish capital it was a sad city, a sober city, a gray city, a sinister city. Men and women, even boys and girls, seemed to have lost the art of laughing. How could one laugh when death stalked in every street?

SPIES EVERYWHERE

There were spies everywhere. There was the espionage of the hated Castle—fortress of the foreign governing power. And there was the counter and far more effective espionage of Sinn Féin. The waiter who brought your soup, the porter who shined your shoes, the cloak room attendant who handed you your overcoat—all were watching you, listening to what you said, and duly reporting—somewhere.

For there was war in Ireland. And Dublin was a city captured by the enemy in wartime. The Castle, Phoenix Park and other points of vantage were armed camps. Regular troops, Black and Tans, Auxiliaries held the city. Armored cars, huge army lorries with steel screens, even tanks, patrolled the city. The citizen had to be off the streets at eight o'clock.

BUSINESS BOOMS

But now everything is changed. Curfew is a thing of the past. O'Connell street and Grafton street and the other great thoroughfares are thronged at night with people. The theaters and the movies and the candy shops are doing a roaring business. And about every third man on the streets is a British soldier. One begins to get an idea of what an armed camp Dublin has been. Before, the soldiers did not venture on the streets except with arms.

And most significant of all—the Irish people are smiling again. With characteristic buoyancy and optimism they are looking forward to the bright future. They are living

not only in the happier today, but they are preparing to build for the better tomorrow.

Not rainbow stuff. These people are talking of Irish industries and Irish business and more and bigger Irish farms.

ENGLAND SUSPICIOUS

Ireland is free. Yet England, despite the peace agreement, does not trust her fully yet.

Here is a sample. The traveler bitingly purchases a ticket from London to Dublin. When his train arrives at Holyhead, he expects to go right aboard the vessel that is to carry him across the stormy Irish Sea.

Nothing doing. Everybody is herded towards an enclosure where grim-looking British officials of the police department require that every person open his baggage for inspection.

England is still holding up the traveler, lest he may be seeking to carry into Ireland pistols, cartridges, high explosives.

Nor is that all. The old Irish Parliament House is now occupied by the contest between Sinn Féin and England, a heavy guard of British soldiers was maintained at this bank. Guns and soldiers and barbed wire are still there.

Nor has England as yet done much towards taking away the thousands of troops. These men will probably be kept quartered here until all the necessary protocols for peace have been signed.

BUCKEYE MACHINE DECLARES DIVIDEND

At the December meeting of the board of directors of The Buckeye Machine company the regular quarterly dividend of one and three quarters per cent was declared on the preferred stock, it is announced.

RADIO ENTERTAINMENT PLANNED BY ROTARIANS

A radio entertainment, embracing the Chicago Grand Opera and other concerts; personal greetings sent from the president of the Rotary club at Schneestadt, N. Y. to George Bayly of the Lima club, and dancing numbers by Miss Elizabeth Breckenridge will feature the entertainment given by Lima Rotarians to members, their wives and friends at the Elks temple Monday, January 9, at 8:15 p. m.

The program has been made possible thru courtesy of the Society of American Electrical engineers. A far-reaching radio apparatus will

be installed for the occasion by the General Electric company. Lima will be one of the few cities in Ohio to receive this big program via the aerial lanes next Monday.

A lecture on the development of radio will be given by the president of the club. Reservations must be made not later than Friday evening. Rotarians announced Tuesday.

MAIL GIVEN A BATH

DLLPHOS—A pouch of first-class mail, thrown off an east bound fast mail train on the Pennsylvania Lines here, landed in the canal, where it soaked over night and was fished out by Postmaster E. E. Truesdale. The letters were dried out and delivered, somewhat blurred by the impromptu bath.

Run-Down Women What You Need is Vinol

Here's Proof That It Restores Strength:—Frederica, Del.—“I got into a very weak, nervous, run down condition so I was not fit to keep on with my housework. Vinol was recommended to me and it certainly made me feel like a new woman. It built me up and made me feel stronger and better in every way.”—Mrs. MARY MORRIS, Frederica, Del.

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This sale is an annual bargain festival at The Big Store. This year's sale will be long remembered for its sensational bargains—its way-down prices.

JANUARY CLEARANCE SALE

Thousands of bargains throughout the store in odd lots and broken sizes, priced ridiculously low, not mentioned in our ads. The choice is to the early comers.

A Sweeping January Clearance of Ready-to-Wear

Offering Women's High Grade Women's Apparel at Deeply Cut Prices

THESE PRICES TELL THE TALE IN THE

January Sale of COATS

A backward winter leaves many of the season's smartest styles in Women's and Misses' Coats. All are placed before you at these very low clearance prices. Three big groups.

\$15 \$25 \$35



All-Wool SKIRTS Half-Price

Serges, tricotines in checks, stripes and plaids, skirts formerly priced \$5.75 to \$18.75 —half price.

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HALF-PRICE ON WOMEN'S HIGH GRADE SUITS

Every high grade Women's Suit in our stock. Beautiful fabrics and clever styles. Prices cut half for clearance.

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JANUARY CLEARANCE OF DRESSES

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Tricotines, Poiret twills. A good selection of clever styles priced for clearance.

\$12.00

Beautiful tricotines and Poiret twills. Distinctive styles. High grade dresses at a price that will take them away quickly.

\$39.00

JANUARY SALE OF CHILDREN'S COATS

One reel of children's coats, ages 6 to 14—plain and trimmed, clearance priced.

\$7.75

One reel Children's Coats, fur and plain collars, clever little styles.

\$11.75

Clearance of Blankets

64x76 heavy cotton blankets —grey, tan and white. Special

\$1.89

Extra size cotton blankets, heavy, size 74x80, grey and tan

\$2.85

Fluff cotton blankets, size 68x80, grey, tan, blue, pink and yellow.

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Clearance values

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Clearance values

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Clearance of Children's SWEATERS

2 to 6 years

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WEDNESDAY -- PURE FOOD GROCERY SPECIALS

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MAIN FLOOR—Direct Entrance

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CLUB FEDERATION OPEN MEETING

State President to Attend Assembly Here January 28.

Plans for an open meeting of the club have been completed. Opening meeting will be held at the Barr hotel Saturday, January 28. Luncheon will be served at 1 o'clock.

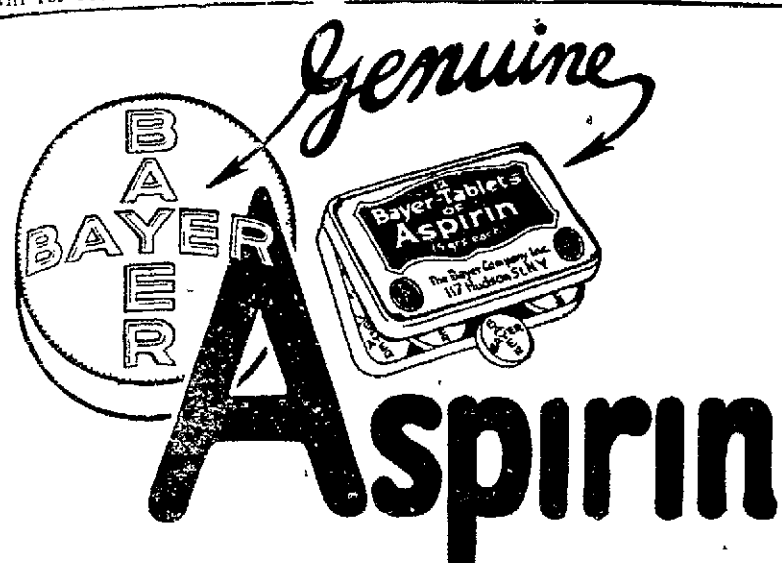
Mrs. C. S. Seivier, of Cleveland, the newly elected president of the Ohio Federation of Clubs, will be present and deliver an address. Mrs. Judson Pierce, new chairman of the Northwest district, will also speak. The report of the committee will resemble a session of the state

convention. The Women's Music club quartette composed of Mrs. Andrew Dimond, Mrs. Gale Dunfou, Mrs. Ralph Shrider and Miss Leona Feltz, will provide music.

A reception will be held from 12:30 to 1 p. m., honoring the state officers. From 4 to 5 p. m. a reception will be held for the art students of the high schools, that they may have an opportunity to view the displays of paintings of two of Lima's artists who have not only received recognition in the state but also in the nation.

Works of a younger Lima artist, who has received special notice in the Cincinnati School of Arts, will also be exhibited. A display of works of the art class of the high schools, of which Miss Bessie Kelly is in charge, as supervisor, will be on exhibition.

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<p>Lucky Special WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE Women's good quality cotton hose, colors—black and brown—hemmed top in all sizes, Wednesday special ... 8c</p>	<p>Lucky Special BLEACHED 36 IN. MUSLIN Yard wide full bleached muslin, standard brand, soft finish, for sheets and cases, Wednesday ... 12c</p>	<p>Lucky Special MEN'S Shirts or Drawers Men's wool shirts or drawers, natural grey color, excellent garments for warmth and service, most sizes ... 99c</p>
<p>Lucky Special YARD WIDE DRESS SERGE Excellent grade, wool mixed dress serge, yard wide, colors are black, tan and wine, for women's and children's dresses ... 55c</p>	<p>Lucky Special WOMEN'S KERCHIEFS Women's fine cambric handkerchiefs, neatly hemmed edge, large size, limit 6 to a customer, special ... 3c</p>	<p>Lucky Special YARD WIDE SILK PONGEE Yard wide silk mixed pongee, natural color, for drapes, shirts, blouses, etc. Wednesday, yard ... 4c</p>
<p>Lucky Special MEN'S WOOL HOSE Men's durable wool hose, dark blue color, grey heel and toe—best for service, Wednesday special pair ... 3c</p>	<p>Lucky Special WHITE OUTING Double fleece white outing flannel, good quality, soft nap, for nursery needs, Wednesday special, yard ... 3c</p>	<p>Lucky Special MEN'S — BOYS SWEATERS Men's and boys' grey sweater coats, with deep roll collar and 2 pockets, come in all sizes ... 98c</p>
<p>Lucky Special BABY BLANKETS Infants' crib blankets, size 30x40, come in pink and blue, with neat designed floral patterns, Well ... 72c</p>	<p>Lucky Special WOMEN'S Vests or Pants Women's "netting" vests or pants, price 76c, high neck, vest with long or short sleeves ... 76c</p>	<p>Lucky Special DRESS GINGHAM 27 inches wide, good substantial grade dress gingham, vast assortment of wanted checks and plaids ... 13c</p>
<p>Lucky Special COTTON CHEVIOTS Best grade cotton cheviots—fine assortment, staple checks and stripes, for shirts, dresses, aprons, etc. ... 12c</p>	<p>Lucky Special BOYS' FLAN. WAISTS Boys' waists, made of good quality grey flannel, in all sizes up to 15, Wednesday special ... 59c</p>	<p>Lucky Special 50 x 72 BLANKETS Single grey blankets, size 50x72, with contrasting pink or blue borders, for short or cover ... 68c</p>
<p>Lucky Special MEN'S CANVAS GLOVES Men's heavy quality canvas gloves, with deep knit wrist, large size, lay a supply Wednesday at par ... 11c</p>	<p>Lucky Special 36 INCH CURTAIN NET Yard wide light curtain net, white only, fine assortment of pretty flower designs, ready made ... 28c</p>	<p>Lucky Special CHILDREN'S BLOOMERS Children's bloomers, made of good quality black satin—durable elastic top and knee— all sizes ... 42c</p>
<p>Lucky Special WOMEN'S HOUSE APRONS Well made of good quality percale, attractive styles, in light or dark patterns, tie-back trimmed, tie-back models. Small, medium and large sizes—Wednesday only ... 89c</p>	<p>Lucky Special BOYS' AND GIRLS' SCHOOL SHOES Boys' and girls' durable school shoes, lace or button styles, built over comfortable last, in all sizes, best for service—Wednesday special, pair ... 1.98</p>	

CLEANUP SQUAD IS READY FOR WORK

Government Party Adjusting Claims of Ex-Service Men

The government "cleanup" squad, one of many covering the country in the interests of adjusting compensation and vocational training matters for ex-service men, arrived in Lima Tuesday from Marion. Offices were immediately established in the Red Cross Health Center, Elm and Elizabeth streets.

Five physicians, four stenographers, one Red Cross representative, one representative of the American Legion and one claims contact man make up the squad which will hear claims in Lima and the five surrounding counties until Wednesday, January 11.

W. C. R. Johnson, chief of the squad, said the matter of proper compensation has never been properly handled by the ex-service men themselves.

"Men who come to ask for compensation or vocational training must bring all their papers, certificates, statements from doctors and lawyers and things of that sort," Johnson said. "It is important that this be done so that the squad may know where to start. We cannot hope to adjust claims at this late date without all data pertaining to a man's service."

"If deserving men are not having compensation from the government, it is certainly not the government's fault. It is just as important that the government have all the data concerning the ex-service man, as it is for a court of law to have all the facts in a case."

"We want every ex-service man who believes he has a just claim for compensation or vocational training to visit our headquarters during our stay in Lima. We are here to give service and this squad is in better position to get quick action than thru any other source," Johnson declared.

LIMA GIRL, MISS SYSTER SEEN HERE IN PICKFORD PLAY AT LYRIC THEATRE

A Lima girl, daughter of Clara Eyster, assistant fire chief, is appearing in one of the leading roles in "Thru The Back Door," a cinema now showing at the Lyric theatre, featuring Mary Pickford.

Miss Eyster's stage name is Gertrude Astor.

Since making her debut several years ago on the screen, Miss Eyster has rapidly climbed the celluloid ladder and her start practically insures her success.

While a child attending Lima schools, the girl had visions of becoming an actress. Her talent attracted the attention of producers and while yet a girl in her teens was offered a contract.

Accompanied by Mrs. Eyster, she journeyed to the coast and since that time has been steadily climbing toward stardom.

"Thru The Back Door," Miss Eyster plays the part of Mary Pickford's mother. She has a charming personality and scores of her local acquaintances saw her at the Lyric Sunday and Monday.

Her dad was one of the first persons to see the performance. He saw it at its first showing in Los Angeles last summer when visiting with Mrs. Eyster and their daughter.

BURGLARS LOOT OFFICE AT GARAGE; GET \$11.87

Burglars effected an entrance at Black's garage, 512 W. 11th-st., early Tuesday morning, thru a rear window.

A sum of money amounting to \$11.87 was stolen from the garage office. Police found no clues.

NEW OFFICIALS AT WAPAKONETA

WAPAKONETA -- Fred A. Klippel Monday succeeded E. E. Newman as mayor here. Newman McKendrie Metz is president of council, Fritz Nester city auditor, Dittmore Spees treasurer, Frank Cunningham city solicitor. All new officials named are Democrats. The new council is also Democratic, save one member. Howard Benner has been appointed service director and William Zint safety director.

OVER-HEATED BOILER FIRES SCHOOL BUILDING

An overheated boiler in the basement of the Elizabeth-st. school ignited the floor immediately above it at 5 a. m. Tuesday and caused a lively blaze until it was extinguished by the fire department. Damage to the building will amount to about \$25, Chief John Mack stated. The blaze was extinguished with a lawn hose.

This is the second fire at the Elizabeth-st. school in the past year, from the same cause.

THIEVES GET AWAY WITH O. J. ROUSH AUTO; OTHER THEFTS ARE REPORTED

O. J. Roush, former police chief, is an unlucky man.

Saturday the court of appeal deposited him from office when an injunction granted by Judge Fred C. Becker, was dissolved. And now he has to hoof it, because automobile thieves are no respecters of persons.

Monday night, Roush left his car, a Studebaker Six, near the Norval hotel. Someone got away with it.

Two other cars were stolen Tuesday night, according to police records.

A Marmon speedster, property of Dr. T. R. Thomas, 1125 State-st., was stolen from in front of the Lima Business College about 10 p. m. and earlier in the evening a Buick touring car belonging to D. O. Wilson, 517 N. Baxter-st., was stolen from near the Elks home. None of the cars have been recovered.

HELD ON CHARGE OF POINTING A FIREARM

Ralph Turner, 23, colored, arrested at his home, 1625 W. Spring-st., Saturday, was arraigned in criminal court Tuesday, charged with pointing a loaded revolver at Wallace Pollock, also colored.

He pleaded not guilty and will be tried at 2 p. m. Wednesday before Judge Emmett J. Jackson. Turner is out on \$100 bond.

Piles Cured in 4 to 14 Days
Druggists refund money of PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure Hemorrhoids, Bleeding or Protruding Piles. Instantly relieves itching Piles. 60c. Adv.

Start this New Year Right and Save by Shopping at the Leader Wednesday

Here are Exceptional Opportunities to Buy Best Merchandise Below Regular Prices

18c Dark Outings
27 inch heavy fleeced dark outings in assorted stripe and check patterns **14c**

35c Krinkle Crepe
Plain pink, blue, lavender and yellow Windsor lingerie crinkle crepe—
30 inches wide **27c**

89c Mercerized Damask
64 inch wide heavy quality mercerized table damask in attractive patterns **67c**

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20c Comfort Challies 14½c
Yard wide best grade comfort challies in light and dark floral and Persian patterns. (Main)

25c Huck Towels 17c
Size 17x32 each all white huck towels, firm weave and good weight, 3 for 50c. (Main)

20c Percalés 16½c
Yard wide Scout brand and other standard cloths in dark and light figured and stripe styles. (2nd Floor)

25c Light Outings
Yard wide fancy light outings in assorted stripe patterns. Heavy grade, well fleeced **20c**

98c All Wool Serge
Yard wide all wool storm serge, in six good dress shades including navy, very serviceable for wear **77c**

\$5.49 Bolivia
Extra fine quality all wool Bolivia-coating, 56 inch wide, in navy, brown and beaver **\$3.98**

\$4 All Silk Canton Crepe, \$2.98
40 inch wide splendid grade all silk Canton crepe in navy, brown and black. (Main)

Wednesday Shoe Bargains

Children's shoes in black or dark tan leather, English or broad toe styles. Some have rubber heels, sizes 8½ to 2. **2 39**

For the smaller kiddies who wear sizes 5 to 8—shoes of black or tan kid or gun metal, specially priced Wednesday. **1 59**

Women's felt house slippers, Julia's with leather soles and heels or comfy with padded soles, all sizes, 3 to 8. Priced at— **1 39**

Boys' Two-Buckle Storm Boots
Sizes to 6 **\$2.89** Sizes 11 to 13½ **\$2.59**

A SPECIAL SALE OF

New Early **Spring HATS** **\$3.65**
Made from Gros de Londres and Satin
Values to \$4.98

Every woman and miss desiring a new Spring Hat for early season wear should choose from this Leader special Wednesday sale. There are sailors, off-the-face hats and novelty styles. Colors are black, heaver, pheasant, henna, copen, and red. Trimmed with ostrich, flowers, ribbon and embroidery—and just think of the price, \$3.65.

Second Floor

25c white risk-rack, 6 yard bolts, best quality mercerized, for trimming aprons, dresses, etc. Very special at 10c.

Women's 50s Cotton Burson Hose, black and brown, all sizes, seamless. Specially priced at 39c.

Women's \$1.25 Union Suits with fleeced nap back, fine combed yarn. Three styles—high, low and Dutch neck, all sizes, 80c.

THE LEADER'S READY-TO-WEAR BARGAIN RACK

Offers Wednesday Bargain Day Wednesday Second Floor



6 Dresses, were to \$25.00, Wednesday **\$ 7.95**
17 Winter Coats, were to \$30, Wednesday **\$10.95**
15 Pleated Plaid Skirts, were to \$16.95 **\$ 3.95**
58 Silk Waists, were to \$8.95, Wednesday **\$ 2.99**
9 Navy Tricoté Suits, were to \$40.00, Wednesday **\$14.40**
11 Girls' Raincoats, were \$3.98, Wednesday **\$ 1.95**
14 Little Girls' Coats, were to \$10.95, Wednesday **\$ 3.49**
12 Flannel Middy Blouses, were \$5.95, Wednesday **\$ 3.89**
74 Gingham School Dresses, were to \$1.49, Wednesday **74c**
5 Evening Dresses, were \$39.75, Wednesday **\$24.90**
1 Squirrel Collared Blouse Bar Coat, was \$75.00 **\$44.90**

70c ALL WOOL KNITTING WORSTEDS, four strand, just the yarn for knitting sweaters, shawls and tams, very special, the hank **59c**

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1½ dozen on a card in black and white, the card, 3c. **3c** One lot of safety pins in sizes 2 and 2½, the card, 3c. **3c** Ruben's style infants' silk - and - wool shirts in all sizes, 79c. **79c**

CHILDREN'S \$1 WOOL HOSE, brown and green leathers in drop stitch patterns, sizes six to ten, specially priced Wednesday at **85c**

Wednesday Specials for Men and Boys
Men's Outing Gowns, good weight outings, full size, pink and blue striped **85c**
Boys' Overall Rompers, all sizes up to 8 years **87c**
Boys' Grey Sweater Coats, all sizes up to 34 size. Coat style **79c**
Men's Sheeplined Duck Coats, beaver collar, all sizes **\$6.95**
Men's Wool Mixed Union Suits, natural grey color, all sizes **\$1.39**
Boys' Knicker Pants, good for school wear, dark colors, pair **79c**
Men's Blue Bit Overalls, two seam style, high back **85c**
Men's Work Shirts, heavy blue shirting, double sewed—full sizes, all sizes to 17, each **59c**
Men's Blue Jersey Work Shirts, all sizes, good and heavy, each **85c**
Men's Work Hose, grey and brown color, seamless, ribbed top, 3 pair **25c**

A Great January Clearance of

WALL PAPER

We are offering remarkably low prices on Wall Papers. Goods that have been purchased from the best manufacturers including the famous Birge, Strahn, Crane and Griffin. For your wall paper needs buy here and save from one third to one half.

REGULAR 25c OATMEAL PAPERS
Plain oatmeal Papers, 30 inches wide, in all wanted colors, suitable for living rooms, dining room, parlor and halls, with pretty conventional and applique border to match. Sale price for

UP TO 75c HIGH GRADE TAPESTRIES
Fine Tapestries papers, engraved papers, gold stripes, grass cloths, Harmonilla's blends and two-tone effects. These papers have regular borders and binder to match. These patterns are up to 75c values. Sale price—

9c **45c**

UP TO 45c VALUES' BEDROOM PAPERS
Beautiful bedroom paper, all striking patterns in floral stripes, satin stripes, chintz effects and all over designs, with borders of any style. These papers ordinarily sold from 35c up to 45c roll. Sale price—

18c **5c**

25c Bread Toaster 17c **75c Wire Clothes Line** **40c Half Soles, 27c —** **\$1.75 Clothes Dryers, \$1.37** **\$12 Bench Clothes Wringers \$9.47 —** **\$3.00 Alarm Clocks, \$1.99** **\$1.00 Polish Mops, 49c —** **75c Iron Skillets, 25c**

Pyramid style —will toast 4 places at a time. **47c —** 100 ft. long, solid wide, large size, will not rust. **47c —** Made from best grade leather, in all sizes. **Large size laundry clothes dryers that fold.** **Large size ball bearing wringers, guaranteed.** **Large plain dial, full nicked, — large back bell.** **Medium size, triangular shape, treated with oil.** **Seven inch size, made of heavy, smooth cast iron.**

Third Floor Wednesday Bargains

\$12.50 Mattresses, 45 pound full size, all felt, roll edge — fancy art tickings \$8.75

\$11.50 Wool Blankets, 66x80 size, fancy plaids guaranteed all wool both warp and filler, pr. \$8.95

\$75.0 Blankets, 66x80 size, fancy plaids, half wool, extra heavy quality, pair \$5.88

\$6.50 Blankets, extra large size, 72x84 Nashua Wool Nap fancy plaids, very heavy grade, pair \$5.00

\$2.50 Blankets, regular size 64x76, plain grey and tan, with pink or blue borders, pair \$1.98

25c Marquisette, yard wide, mercerized, fine quality in white, cream and biege, yard 17c

\$1.50 window shades, 3x7 size, fancy scalloped and fringed, complete with tassels, ecru color, each \$1.00

\$3.50 Boston Bags, 13-14-15 inch sizes, genuine cowhide in black and brown, each \$2.25

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We, today, look toward the future with a vision of still greater service in the field of our chosen activities.

A deposit with us is a non-fluctuating investment; it contains no element of speculation and affords the depositor 5% interest, the highest rate consistent with safety.

The confidence of our customers is shown by the following

TABLE OF GROWTH

On January 1, 1906 Total Assets were \$ 322,309.91
On January 1, 1910 Total Assets were 376,949.25
On January 1, 1914 Total Assets were 985,834.32
On January 1, 1918 Total Assets were 1,665,988.48
On January 1, 1922 Total Assets were 2,326,434.72

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Savings Building—Corner Market and Elizabeth Streets

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Financial Statement

of the

Allen County Savings and Loan Company

of Lima, Ohio

SHOWING THE CONDITION OF THE ASSOCIATION AT THE CLOSE OF THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1921

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Cash on hand \$ 25,174.91	Paid-up stock and dividends \$ 57,204.00
Loans on mortgage security 2,222,226.31	Deposits and accrued interest 2,032,653.39
Loans on stock, certificates or pass-book security 5,400.00	Reserve fund 41,500.00
Furniture and fixtures 1,500.00	Undivided profit fund 45,036.63
Due from borrowers for insurance and taxes 29.50	Borrowed money and accrued interest 79,000.00
War Savings Stamps 2,494.00	Deposits from other building and loan associations 15,000.00
TOTAL \$2,326,434.72	Deposits from other financial institutions 5,000.00
Interest due and uncollected 1,815.66	TOTAL \$2,326,434.72
STATE OF OHIO, ALLEN COUNTY, ss.	Interest due and uncollected 1,815.66

C. E. Lynch, being duly sworn, deposes and says he is the Secretary of The Allen County Savings & Loan Company of Lima, Ohio, and that the foregoing statement of the affairs and business of said Company for the fiscal year ending on the 31st day of December, A. D. 1921, is true and correctly shows its financial condition at the end of said fiscal year.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 3rd day of January, A. D. 1922.
JOHN W. ROBY, Notary Public, Allen County, Ohio
We, the undersigned, C. F. Stolzenbach, Henry G. Wemmer and D. H. Sullivan, Directors of The Allen County Savings & Loan Company of Lima, Ohio, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the financial condition of the said Company on the 31st day of December A. D. 1921, and a true statement of its affairs and business for the fiscal year ending on that day.
C. F. STOLZENBACH, HENRY G. WEMMER, D. H. SULLIVAN.

OHIO NOW HAS 800 NEW MAYORS

Youngstown Inducts Most Conspicuous Executive

CLEVELAND IN LIMELIGHT

Toledo Turns Its Reins Over to Former Judge

COLUMBUS.—(By Associated Press.)—Some eight hundred mayors in as many Ohio cities yesterday were started upon the duties conferred upon them by electors last November.

George I. Oles, mayor of Youngstown, went into office better known, perhaps, over the state than any other municipal government head. Oles is eccentric. He startled Youngstown by his campaign methods, then caused the state and country to take notice after returns showed a majority of votes for him. His administration will be watched with the greatest interest.

Cincinnati's new mayor is George P. Carrel, Republican, who has been city auditor.

In Toledo, Bernard F. Brough, Independent, who resigned as the common pleas judge to run for mayor, is installed. Fred Kohler is head of the city government of the large st municipality in the state, Cleveland. Kohler secured actively from politics, but came back in brilliant fashion in the mayoralty race, against all guessers. Columbus did not elect a mayor last fall.

There are 95 cities in Ohio with population of 5,000 or more, but so far only around 45 have reported officially to the secretary of state, giving city officials who took office, some of whom were sworn in Saturday, as well as yesterday. The list of those that have reported, with names of mayors, or commissioners elected, follows:

Akron, D. C. Rybolt (R); Barberton, G. E. Kershner (R); Bellair, John R. Wray (D); Bell, Frank J. McElroy (R); Bellefonte, H. C. Aurand (R); Canton, Curtis C. Curtis (R); Chillicothe, Addison P. Minshall (R); Coshocton, William S. Tish (Ind D); Cleveland Heights, Mayor to be appointed by commissioners, (Cuyahoga Falls, George Herdman, (Ind.); Dayton, Frank B. Hale, O. B. Kneisley, and D. L. Stantze, commissioners; Delaware, W. S. Pollock (R); Dover, C. H. Von Kaenel (D); East Cleveland, M. M. Parton; East Youngstown, Wm. H. Cunningham (R); Fremont, Wm. H. Schwartz (D); Findlay, Harry Rodabaugh (R); Fostoria, E. A. Kurtz (D); Girard, W. D. Cunningham (Ind); Hamilton, Harry J. Koehler (D); Kenmore, Samuel Goodman; Kent, W. O. Hollister (D); Lakewood, Louis E. Hill; Lancaster, C. F. Rohle, (R); Lima, Harold Cunningham, (R); Elmer Jones, Earl Rohm, John Heiler, and H. L. Breckenridge, commissioners; Logan, F. A. Lodge (R); Lorain, William J. Hall (D); Marietta, William J. Lodge (D); Marion, George W. Job (D); Mansfield, Henry G. Pinner (D); Massillon, Herbert H. Augh (Ind); Middletown, H. L. Dell, Walter Gibbons, Donald Brown, Charles Warner, and W. U. Rieck, commissioners; Mt. Vernon, Charles Keigley (R); Napoleonville, Earl S. McCure (R); Newark, Samuel Orr (R); New Philadelphia, E. N. Fair, (Ind); Niles, Charles Crow (R); Norwood, L. H. Nolte (R); Ovesena, W. J. Robinson (D); Sandusky, Charles F. Miller, George E. Leites, George F. Schado, I. F. Mahue, and H. A. Alstetter, commissioners; St. Bernard, Charles Weizenman; Springfield, George Bradford, William Argabright, Dr. J. Fure, D. W. Hill, and John C. Commissioners; Struthers, Joe L. Wilson (R); Tiffin, John Eger (R); Troy, Van S. Don (R); Urchville, W. W. Jones (R); Van Wert, H. A. Lee, W. W. Koneha, Fred Klipfel, Washington, C. H. U. L. Daniel, Mayor; Major M. R. Limb.

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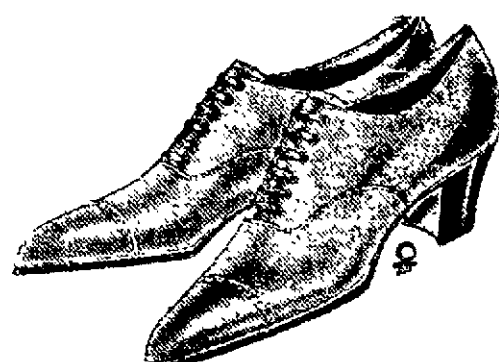
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For a few cents, you can buy enough matches to start 1000 fires. When the ancient nobleman's fire was doused by the rain, he shivered in the cold until slaves made a blaze by friction or brought firebrands from afar.

Plenty of old settlers, now living, can recall the days before matches, when they ran a mile from the nearest neighbor's, with a shovelful of blazing coals.

YOUR real wealth is measured, not in money, but in the number of things you obtain to eat and wear, the ease with which you get them, the comforts and conveniences of your home, methods of transportation and amusement.

It is only a few centuries since even the richest kings had no sewers, running water, rapid transportation or any of the commonplace things that brighten the lives of all today.

Each year adds to our comforts and conveniences.

A few years ago, only the richest men in town had autos. Now there's an auto for every 12 Americans.

Henry Ford is experimenting with a mixture of glue, cotton and formaldehyde. He expects to make a powerful building material out of these. If he succeeds, he'll stamp flivvers out like doughnuts.

That seems like a dream. But it is merely typical of the processes of mass production that have given the average person luxuries that were denied the kings of antiquity.

Measured in ancient standards, we are all kings today, with the slaves of electricity, steam and machinery toiling constantly for us.

GOVERNMENT EFFICIENCY

ONE is impressed with the form of efficiency which attends some branches of government effort—the national government—and is appalled by the lack of it in some other respects, in national, state and municipal affairs.

A striking example of the thing sought to be brought out is the ready response given to requirements of the postal department by individuals, in order that they may have the benefits of mail delivery service, city or rural. In the city it is required that walks be constructed for the convenience of the carriers, that houses be numbered and that proper receptacles be provided for mail.

In the country, where rural mail delivery service is in vogue, the government requires improved roads and proper mail receptacles placed on posts adjacent to the highway, within easy reach of the carrier without alighting from his conveyance. Postmaster General Hays has approved the ruling by Attorney Gen-

'ROUND LIMA HOUR BY HOUR

WITH APOLOGUES

BY OH. OH. JACKENRIM

A Page from the Diary of an Antiquated Reporter.—Going to bed betimes, was waked in the night by my wife, poor wretch, who didst think the hot water tank was burst; and to the collar in slippers

ABE MARTIN



Next to somebody's going all the way on a long stalk of celery, the thing that gets on our nerves the quickest is to have a clerk trail along behind us when we only come in to look around. Clocks ticks and watched stock's are unusually beautiful.

and robe, and very angry, albeit the tank was not burst, nor so much as evicted. And much vexed I became, climbing the stairs, for it was her fault, which I explained when she began giving cross answers and in the middle of the night, so I tapped her over the eye, gently, forthwith, but she, poor wretch, did cry out in seeming great pain, and I up, vexed at heart, for butter and parsley and did myself make poultice to the damaged peeper.

So morning, and in bad fettle to the office, but met with Sam Fletcher, the old Roman, who did choose for the farmers wintering at the Capitol last session; he, well and strong but past his three score and ten. First days of year and casting up accounts found memories of many things I could ill afford, and resolve to watch more carefully during this new year. To the bank and found it moved to west High and Cashier Harris very tidy and brave in his new office, almost replica of his old; and I the first to ask of loan, which owing to moving he explained, he must postpone; but very agreeable, yet somehow I fear I shall not be in funds from him.

So home to dine well on ribs of beef roasted and mince pies. A bitter night, harboring on zero, frost gathering on windows; and came many friends to tell of the joyous

times of New Year's eve, and it made me believe Roy Haynes must have little to do, or too much to do, or doesn't do, for all spoke of drinks aplenty and the usual headaches, showing it the same stuff as of 1919. So anon.

A Chinaman has been taking treatments of a famous specialist in the Savings building and the latter was inquisitive to know of his impressions regarding our missionary work. Admitting he had tried our religion, studied it, yet he said he never accepted it, but preferred his God. The specialist reversed the question and asked the Chinaman how he would convert him to the Chinese God. He wanted time to think it over and said he would tell him next week. Returning and resuming the subject the visitor just put it in one question to the physician: "Are you satisfied?" And what a world of philosophy is contained in the three words.

W. J. Rich, most observing, discovers wearing of goshawks causes girls to take longer strides, giving them the swag of their youthful brothers. "What," he says, "will be the result when they discard 'em in the Spring? Will they go back to normalcy of stride or continue the military pace caused by the weights on their feet?"

eral price of Ohio that power is vested in the Ohio Highway department to remove rural mail boxes when placed too near a highway.

Orders issued by the government, that a service may be had, are complied with quickly by individuals. The thought impresses itself that if all individuals should be as quick to obey all government orders as they are those which affect them directly, there would be still greater governmental efficiency.

FORD'S TAXES

HENRY FORD is quoted as saying he paid Uncle Sam \$76,000,000 in taxes last year. If his taxes were that big, his taxable income must have been more than \$100,000,000.

The Wall-st Journal quotes this comment by an anonymous banker: "The Class I railroads will have a net operating income for 1921 slightly in excess of \$600,000,000, of which creditors will receive about \$500,000,000, and to owners will accrue a little more than \$100,000,000. In short, all the Class I railroads in the United States will have in 1921 about the same taxable income as Ford had in the year to which he refers."

The reason? Ford believed, in big volume of business at low prices. That system should be applied to freight rates.

AS YOU LIKE IT

On account of the price, cold storage plants have a million chickens all dressed up and nowhere to go.

In spite of all these expert predictions that business will get better it will.

This country is supposed to have 2,000,000 dope fiends. Any sport editor knows the figure is low.

Many a man looks run down because of the bills his wife runs up.

Reformers are protesting against artists painting in the nude. It's a wonder they don't catch cold, especially painting landscapes.

Ford says Muscle Shoals is good for 1000 years. A regular little ten-century plant.

These advertised asbestos gloves must be for home-brewers to wear while pouring a drink.

Fight in the Senate makes it look like a League of Explanations.

HEALTH TALKS

Common Sense Ways to Keep Well

THE CHILD'S HEART

It is often the case that children may develop a severe general infection following close an acute tonsillitis. Adults, too, may become victims of the same infection.

This ailment may show itself by painful swelling of the joints and so-called acute articular rheumatism and in some instances the lining of the heart and the heart valves also are infected.

After a prolonged sickness the child apparently recovers, but a second examination of the heart will show that the heart muscle is weak and the valves are rough and do not close correctly. Hence the pump, of the heart, is working at a disadvantage.

Such a happening usually comes at a critical time in a child's life. He is tired of being kept indoors by sickness and wants to romp and play.

But if he tries to keep up with the other children in their strenuous games, he puts a severe strain on his heart muscle. The usual result of such a strain is that there will develop a permanent valvular defect in the heart that will in all probability shorten life.

There is but one way to prevent all this. It is by enforced rest over a long period of time. Rest can rarely be carried out in a normal busy household, especially if there are other healthy youngsters.

Such cases require the utmost care in handling and frequent advice from the family physician. If properly treated, even badly damaged heart valves return to a practically normal state.

Every acute infection, especially every case of tonsillitis, should be considered serious, and the heart should be pronounced well before the child is allowed to take up its normal mode of life again.

POEMS YOU WILL ENJOY

By BERTON BRALEY

THESE ARE THE DAYS!

The chariot of Caesar, it jiggled and it jolted him,
The carriage of Napoleon was slow;
The howdah of the Great Mogul, its motion much revolted him
When he had gone a dozen miles or so;
Those emperors and potentates were mighty, of a verity,
Their grandeur and their glory echoed far,
But when it came to traveling with comfort and celerity
They never knew the magic of a car!

Their journeys were a weariness that damped their spirits clamorously.

Their travel was a burden and a load.

They never guessed what fun it is to gather up the family
And step upon the gas and hit the road!

They couldn't hear the purring of an engine running happily,
The whir of flashing wheels and singing tires.

They couldn't know the comfort of a car that's speeding snappily.

To any spot your little heart desires!

We've got it over potentates who lorded it in olden days,

We all of us are monarchs when we tour.

In winter's crispy weather or in summer's gay and golden days
Travel's not a penance but a lure!

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Our empire's anywhere the highways are.

For the auto salesman sells us something more than mere machinery.

When we sign the dotted line and get a car!

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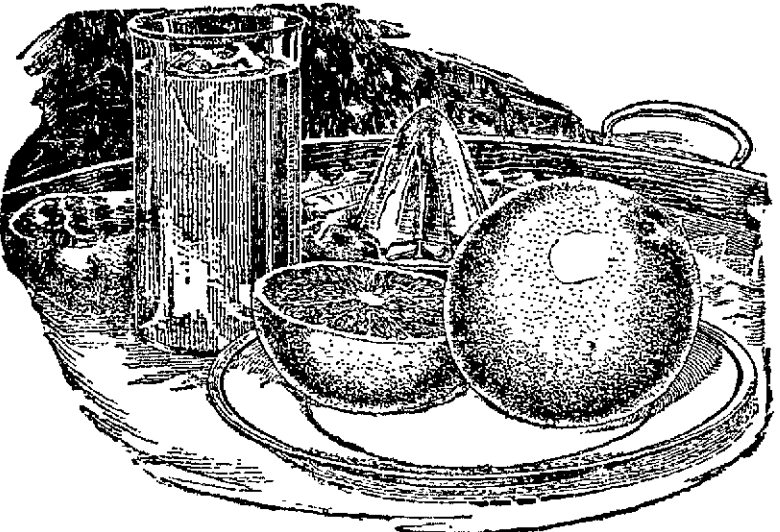


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ADVERSITY GRIPS AS 1922 DAWNS

Columbus Writer Sees No Hope of Greater Prosperity.

DEBS PARDON DISCUSSED

Harding Getting Into Davis Class For Unpopularity.

LIMA NEWS BUREAU
Columbus, O., Dec. 31.
COLUMBUS. — (Special).—And now as the Old Year dies and the cycle of time ushers in the New Year, adversity's continued grip is beginning to make itself more and more felt. People read with avidity the reports of better business and greater prosperity. It is well that they are hopeful, but promises hold no such charm as realities in this field. Distant hills may seem green and there is a certain magic in saying that 1922 will be a year when all will cake and wone, but the grim facts are not so pleasant. Organization of the agricultural "bloc" in Washington and certain plans laid here are indicative of a feeling of no prospect for immediate relief from the blight of hard times. There will be optimistic assurances at every breath, but likewise a grim determination to be prepared against longer economic troubles, hitting the farmers and the workmen hardest of all, but felt by every form of human activity. More significant than anything which has come out in recent weeks is the battle-to-death policy which has been announced with respect to land values. The rural "bloc" in Ohio, led by the organized farm leaders, is determined that there shall be no reappraisal of land values in upward of 70 counties in which the values have not really been appraised since 1910. Land values are doubtless higher now than they were eleven years ago, for several reasons, but the 1910 appraisals must stick, the farmers say and largely because they do not see how they can remain much above the 1910 level unless commodities find a higher level.

The few dollars the farmers are now realizing for crops and produce they are saving up in their wallets or saving for taxes and for bare necessities. Let the country merchants be asked if this statement is doubted. The tendency is showing itself in various ways. For instance, there are concerted movements against building of expensive types of highways for the first time since the great highway program was launched nearly ten years ago. A recent meeting in fertile Crawford co established a maximum of \$20,000 a mile. Others want to cut that in two. Every proposition to spend money gets the stony stare and this is a useful device to prevent the expenditure of activity for which men earn and hope. It is merely the symptom of the troubles torturing those who seek to make ends meet and save a dollar or two. Every suggestion of relief takes on an international aspect. Start foreign business as a means of starting America again and again the cry rises. No less a leader than Charles Brand of Urbana, who first in Ohio penetrated the highway trouble, says if corn can be put to 75 cents a bushel prosperity will be here. But it hangs at 42 cents and that is a fact of greater importance than all the plots and schemes and more potent in business than reams upon reams of "jolly" up" expressions from the highest official quarters in Washington or tons of speeches in Congress. The people look prayerfully for relief and while looking are cutting the pennies to closer margins than ever before in their lives. In the food stores, the merchants will tell you—ask you inquire—that 20, 30 and 40 cent sales outnumber the larger ones ten to one, where it was reversed not so long ago. The facts are worth pondering by the man who really wishes to know what the country is thinking.

While discussion of the pardon of Eugene V. Debs is in progress, there are certain high lights of the matter to be kept in mind and a question or two to be asked. The most pointed interrogation is, perhaps, whether a pardon was intended as a favor returned for a favor done or whether it looked to the future. There is no doubt but the conviction of the socialist leader cost the party in power in 1920 a bad vote, how many there is no means of telling. Now, whether there was agreement with respect to the release is a subject that can only be known when memories come to be written. Some editors in Ohio think there was, but other doubt this view very much. Reaction in the state in which the principal scene was laid in which the conviction was secured does not seem to have been very favorable. Hope of annexing the Debs following seems to have been disappointed very soon after the distinguished prisoner was released. If there were partisan motives, it may be stated at this time that the present the cards were not read correctly. The denial of the call to Washington has a certain significance that must be kept in mind. The wheat was garnered in 1918 and 1920 and there is now nothing but a raft to thresh over. Let this plan with be well pondered.

One thing the scribes of Columbus will remember about Flord E. Waite is that he was taken to the Cleveland, Ohio, to be lost for a season, as they say, in state public activities, that he kept right on "furnishing" up to the last moment. Finally, they may recall that he was so-natured about it. Mr. Waite is not a man who did not necessarily refuse. It was he who picked Messrs Shattuck and Miller, the latest two-handed purchasing agent that any state ever had. And was Mr. Waite who discovered Harry Hyatt, of Cleveland, was only a real forerunner in captivity that Ohio State university has paid a lot of indifferent fellows who paid an average of let us say \$200 a year while 41 of us say a time was worth \$2,000 and was, before Auditor of State J. T. disclosed a few inches of Debs' backbone and \$1,000 there-

after. Mr. Waite is on record on the value of Hyatt's services is looking over Scioto and Adams-cos lads. He is also on record on the value of Hyatt as a director of the trimming in the capitol grounds. But he "saved the state millions," according to the truthful young Governor and he "installed business systems" in the state service, a fact to which Mr. Hyatt will give an unsolicited testimonial.

Every time the Harding folks in these days discuss one Charles C. Crabbe, of Madison-co, the man who made the London bootleggers famous by giving out all the news concerning them they "fetch him a few whacks." They are certainly cross with Charley, to be alliterative. The reason is they think he had executed a new dodge and shuffle and is back in the Davis camp once more. As this friend of truth has hitherto told of his gyrations up to and including the twenty-second day of December, it may be well to review briefly and sympathetically that career and to tell it over again, so that the story may be continued. Now Mr. Crabbe, it will be recalled, started out to be a member of the William E. Halley faction, which is but another name for the Harding crowd. But he had not gone far after his advancement by this group into the floor leadership of the House of Representatives before he was a better Harry L. Davis man than the Governor himself. So he continued until Davis began to get unpopular, when he flipped back with the Harding folks and actually urged a special session. But then he figured it may be because no one can read his mind—that President Harding is doomed to become more unpopular than Governor Davis has the ability to become. Applying the Einstein theory of relativity, who knows but what he calculated that by comparison the Governor may actually be popular again. At all events, he once more stood by the Governor and deserted his benefactors a second time. They forgive one flop without explanation in politics, but never two. The thing had a kick-back and now there are reports that Mr. Crabbe may not be in the race for Attorney General at all, at all.

Everything is grist which comes to the mill of Hon. Harry L. Davis, Governor of Ohio, now engaged in the arduous task of unfolding to the readers of a number of newspapers the beauties of the reorganized state government. He has told us how other departments and bureaus are functioning under their new names, carefully, of course, avoiding the purchasing bureau—but then that's his business. He is the real artist when it comes to handling the securities department, commonly known as the "blue sky" bureau. The securities are now "subject by the state to a scrutiny unapproachable in thoroughness," whatever that means. Moreover, he tells us while a year ago the issuance of \$100,000,000 worth of securities was approved, the issues this year have been only half that amount. If he would walk across the hall to the office of Secretary of State Harvey C. Smith, he might also learn that the number of corporations chartered for profit has been cut in two. These are only samples of the period of depression to the general observer, but to Governor Davis they are evidences of great statesmanship. One may also glean that the division is about to fill the jails with the blue sky violators, but up to this time there is no one serving, altho half of the term has glided into that eternity from which there is no return.

The round of entertaining material on that never failing source of conversation, alcohol in its various forms, is being augmented, (not reduced as time rolls on. Police departments are now discovering that the number of arrests for drunkenness and for crimes growing out of the traffic in intoxicants is larger than for 1920 and probably nearly as great as at any time in history. But this does not tell the whole story. Doubtless prohibition has caused the sobering up of some types who were arrested many times in the course of a year and so swelled the statistics. No one has made a true analysis of the two systems in a showing of the actual number of arrests of individuals. More than that, the number of cases in which the victims were taken home does not figure. There is scarce a party these days where intoxicants are served, (and that is a goodly share of the total) where someone does not fall under the impact of the blows from the hooch that is now sold at \$12 a gallon or thereabouts. If you do not believe this, all this friend of scientific truth asks is that every doubter make a real investigation and get the facts. But it changes nothing to talk about these facts. The bootleggers are the real prohibitionists. They vote whether these days if they do not drink together.

Every time the state and federal prohibition men swoop down on a town and give it a "cleaning-up," another interesting set of facts are brought to light. In a few days in Akron there were 170 arrests for illicit trafficking and this, according to the officers, "merely scratching the surface." By which we may infer that all those with first-class intelligence bureaus, or those who had a proper understanding in certain places had ample warnings and were not found. It is true, this new well recognized liquor dealers are arrested, may the prohibition officers say. But the figures for Akron are worthy of study from another angle. The number arrested was nearly as large as the gross number of licensed saloons in the wet days and it may be added that only the worst portions of the city were visited. If they had really cleaned the city and caught them all, it is not difficult to believe that the number of arrests would exceed the number of licensees of the old wet days. Officers say that hard times has increased the number of illicit dealers, hanging to the old theory of a definite relationship between morals and material prosperity. If so, then normalcy may be thanked.

Old-timers will remember a more or less sentimental novel which had a great sale in its day. Its name was "The Winning of Barbara Worth," the title being no small part of its attractiveness. Having in mind the appeal of that string of words in this book, will some genius come forward with a work of the "Winning of Willis" in the Truman H. Newberry case? It would be a story almost as thrilling. A few weeks ago he would not speak of the matter and rather indicated that it

was but another diabolical Democratic plot, by heck, to get a good Republican out of office. Then it happened. The reaction from this indication made him think, or at least it puzzled him. The next time he discovered that the matter should have careful investigation and now he is over so far as to say that if the Senator from Michigan does not defend himself he will be constrained to vote against him. All of which causes the question to be asked as to what difference it makes whether he does or does not defend himself. The money has been spent, the law was violated, an unconstitutional law by a divided court after

the election of 1920 and the country knows the Senator is under the condemnation of every clean-minded man and woman in America, whether they like Henry Ford or not. There is no safety in equivocation and Senator Willis will learn it before he is done with this matter. Who are not for honest elections are against them, party or not party.

Western Ohio will watch with a great deal of interest the experiment that is to be tried in the old Miami & Erie Canal beginning March 1. A new company plans to inaugurate a seven hour boat service between Defiance and Toledo with boats of four

cars capacity. If the plan works out it is certain to add great impetus to the movement for rehabilitation of the remainder of the canal system. Thus far all the enthusiasm for the Lake to Ohio River Canal seems to be concentrated at two points, Toledo and Cincinnati. But if the plan is successful with motor launches or whatever form of power is applied, the proposition will grow up to Dayton in no time while Dayton seems to be under the impression she will grow down to Cincinnati, canal or no canal. The people who propose to rehabilitate

water traffic say they have already many contracts to move freight and will put something over on the railways. Let them try, it can do no harm. New mayors will take hold in the majority of the cities of Ohio on the morning or rather on Monday, the result of the November elections. There will be some changes in the unemployment status in Ohio for the followers of the new executives will be hungry for jobs which may now be had since the classified civil service system in many of them has been wrecked, thanks to the provisions placed in the new laws. Likewise,

the new county boards of education will take charge in the counties and life then will resume its tranquil course. As between the major parties, there will be a big change as the result of the elections. Nearly every executive in Ohio will face hard problems involving either the cutting down on expenditures or some ruse or other to find the money with which to conduct municipal affairs. Attention has been called to a few problems, but it is a fact that nearly every community is a problem. Governmental costs have shown no tendency toward reduction, state, city or nation.

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BY ZOF BECKLEY

A GIRL ON MAIN-ST

HIKING DAYS WILL SOON BE HERE



POLLY lived in a nice town in Indiana, where there were large department stores, three movies, a "select section" and the proper complement of banks, factories and office buildings.

The Newlands, Polly's folks, had a cream colored clapboard house on the fringe of the select section. There wasn't much money. Mama and Newland had a little income from the life insurance but Polly and her sister Bert and some—straight from high school—into a bustling world of workaday.

Bert had always been called "the pretty one." He usually hauled to add, "and the brains" and a certain charm of her own that drew you to her more slowly than the shining beauty of Bert, but held you more surely in the end.

Bert had married, of course—a good looking chap who worked in the same bank and was as sure-going to be a partner, cashier and ultimately president, as was the shining white marble bank building itself to become mellowed into gray and form the center of the town's big business.

Polly's love affairs had not been with Aunt Sue, who lived with the Newlands, called brilliant. There had been the slim, shy high school principal who lent her books and took her to a few good concerts that came to Lester Falls.

But when he looked up one sweet summer afternoon from the book he was reading to her in the canoe, and applied in his own behalf the love words of the poet, Polly failed to thrill.

She had known he would sometime summon courage to propose. And there were days when she persuaded her self that Alan Conger would be a good husband.

But there were mostly days when

she was tired of the office, tired of her employer's thick, cigar-muffled dictation, tired of the eternal grind of walking home at night thru the same old streets, greeting the same old people, doing the same old things evening after evening that Lester Falls offered as amusements.

Always Aunt Sue's eternal remark that it was "just as easy to make a brilliant marriage as a stupid one" came echoing. Always she could hear Aunt Sue's snuff whenever she thought of marrying Alan. For Aunt Sue had a special snuff for Alan.

"He's a spoopy," was her somewhat original term for him. "He'll stay a schoolmaster all his life. He isn't the kind that'll ever be president. And he'll always have colds in the head."

Polly liked Alan and felt a little sorry for him—perhaps because she believed in Aunt Sue's dubious prophecies. But she couldn't marry him.

Then there was Charlie Briggs, in the wholesale grocery business. Charlie was awfully decent and what Aunt Sue regarded as "a comer" and sure to be successful. But it was no use. Polly couldn't marry a chap who said, "I hadn't ought to have done it," and put pomade on his hair and wore yellow shoes that squeaked.

Polly was beginning to have that sickening fear at her heart that the more thoughtful, less showy type of girl sometimes feels at twenty-three when what Aunt Sue called "Mr. Right" seemed not to be coming along.

Life dulled. Things that formerly amused her, gradually failed to. Polly began to criticize the architecture of the library and to wonder if the First National bank building was so marvelous a civic ornament after all. The "Golden Days" movie palace pulled. Holland and Batley's "Boston Store" seemed cheap and tacky.

Mother Newland looked worried and Aunt Sue said Polly needed some dandelion tonic.

Then one night by the eastern train came—Sonobody.

(To be continued.)



(BY MARIAN HALE.)

NEW YORK—For hiking days—by the way will soon be here—it must be something soft and wind-defying! With possibly a scarf to match. Both hats and scarfs are woolly things.

This clever Ponch sport hat is of the softest felt, smartly appliqued. The applique is in velvet with che-

SUSIE SMART SAYS

Dear Miss Smart:

I AM engaged to a girl who is very good but is utterly modern. Her character is above reproach, but she likes to dance, play cards, paint a little and dress as all of the girls of today dress. My parents are very strict and I have been brought up to believe that such things are wrong. My parents like the old fashioned girl and I myself do somewhat. I am very deeply in love with this girl. She knows me and yet she says she sees no harm in them. I only wish I were married. What would you advise me to do? Do you think I could reform her?

SAM

I regret to say, my dear young man, I think you will probably be unsuccessful in your attempt to reform the girl, but I do trust that she will be fortunate enough to change your ideas somewhat. Probably you have not thought that perhaps there are many things which you do that she does not entirely approve.

You have a perfect right to your own beliefs, of course, but if you oppose dancing, object to cards and other things which are modern I think it would be very, very unwise for you to marry a girl who is guilty of these "dreadful vices."

I have no desire to criticize your parents but remember, Sam, the world is more broad minded these days.

Your fiancée has a personality and tastes of her own. Don't try to change them. Either love her as she is or give her up. You will make her very unhappy if you dictate to her and try to make her understand that you are above these little things from which she doubtless derives pleasure. Marriage will not change her. You should be glad that it will not, as you have learned to love her as she is now. You say her character is above reproach. Doesn't that mean something to you? You cannot expect her to be perfect. If she were not possessed of a few little faults, she would not be human. My advice to you, Sam, is that you be reasonable and overlook your silly ideas about the harm in dancing and cards. Perhaps you never tried them yourself. Be modern and participate in the "evils" just for the sake of the girl you love.

LETTERS TO LOVERS

By WINONA WILCOX

Have you a complex? To this question every human being must make an affirmative reply. Few, however, could identify their complex or explain them. Nevertheless, we love and hate, return good for evil, do our duty or shun it, succeed or fail in business according to our complexes.

And some authorities assert that all of our complexes are fixed before we are six years old! Just so is the child the father of the man!

The best definition of a complex, as the word is now used was made in 1914 by H. W. Frink:

"A complex is a system of connected ideas, having a strong emotional tone, and displaying a tendency to produce or influence conscious thought and action in a definite and predetermined direction."

In short, a complex is a group of ideas so related that when one of them stirs, the entire association is agitated.

Sometimes our own complexes make us... sometimes they send us to a lunatic asylum; and sometimes the complexes of other persons annoy us, hamper our conduct, or paralyze our actions and ruin our achievement.

For example, there is the mother-daughter complex. Carried to a certain extent, the mother's is one of the noblest of human influences; carried too far, it often produces senseless tyranny on the mother's part and abject misery for the adult child.

Consider the following:

"The man I love and I act only as friends. However, we are secretly engaged."

The other night, mother saw him put his arms around me and she was furious and informed me that I never could see him again.

"Now I have not told my dear one about my engagement solely because my sister is getting ready to be married and my mother worries all of the time and cries most of the time and I don't want to add to her nervous state."

"So how can I persuade her to let the man I love come to see me, without telling her our secret?"

Without doubt, the mother of average common sense knows what is best for the flapper and the debutante but when her maternal complex incites her to rule an adult daughter, both women are bound to suffer!

Because she can not get her own way, the mother resorts to "nerves" and because she can not follow her natural instincts openly the poor daughter is driven to do, or to a disastrous repression of her elemental impulses and emotions.

The just thing—which is always the best thing for the greatest number—is to let mother weep on without annoying the little bride-to-be, and the rest of the family.

When she finds that her hysteria is getting her nowhere at all, the mother may find it advisable to adjust herself to life as it shapes itself normally for her daughters.

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Society News

IN celebration of the 28th birthday anniversary of Raymond Wilson, of Holly-st, Mrs. Wilson welcomed a group of guests to their home Monday. The evening was pleasantly whiled away informally and at a late hour a delicious lunch was served.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. F. Murray and sons Walton and John, Mr. and Mrs. Devere Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Albert O'Neil and sons Walter, Donald and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Mathews and sons Max and Rex, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schofield and sons Paul and George and daughter Pauline, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stump and daughter Corinne, Mr. and Mrs. William Antrim, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Seader and sons Charles, Nolan, Robert and Junior, Misses Anna Schofield, Evelyn Ulrich, Gertrude Antrim, Mae Groves, June Antina, Margaret Seader, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson and children, Ruth, Richard and Betty.

Honoring Miss Virginia Deaderick and Miss Margaret Towels, both of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. B. Harley Holmes, of Lakewood-av, entertained a few intimate friends and musicians Sunday afternoon with an informal musicale at their home. Delightful numbers were given by Miss Deaderick, Miss Towels, Mrs. E. J. Curtiss, Mrs. Clarence Klingler and Ned Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Glendon Locher of Bluffton, spent New Years day in Lima with their mother, Mrs. E. Russell, 204 N. Washington-st.

Russell Pikel returned to his studies at Bluffton College Tuesday, after an over New Years visit with his grandmother, Mrs. E. Russell, 204 N. Washington-st.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kolb and son Howard, Delphos, after a several days' visit with J. W. Fisher and family, 650 S. Elizabeth-st, returned to their home Monday.

W. B. A. Girls' club will meet in Morris Arcade Tuesday at 6 p. m.

Members of the Delphian club will meet with Mrs. Harry W. Fenton, of Lowell-av, Wednesday afternoon.

Robert Halloran returned to Ft. Wayne after spending the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Halloran, of N. West-st.

Harry Lockhart, Ernest Klingerman and Arthur Hoover returned to Bellefontaine after spending the week-end with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Callahan returned to Chicago after spending the holidays at the Callahan home, N. West-st.

Members of the Woman's Foreign Missionary Society of Trinity M. E. church will be entertained with a 6 o'clock dinner by the church on Wednesday following the dinner a unique and interesting program will be enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Haddell of Cincinnati and Harry I. Haddell, of Cleveland returned to their homes after spending several days with Dr. Ezekiel Haddell and family, of S. Collett-st.

Miss Lillian Connel returned to her home on W. Waynes-st, after spending the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. Wadlaw Ewell, of Claytons-ville, Ind.

Miss Marguerite Mahoney returned to Dayton after visiting over the holidays with her parents.

Members of the Franklin club met with Mrs. Philip Roeder, of S. Nye-st. The afternoon was enjoyed socially and refreshments were served. Mrs. John Hoffman, of Mansfield was the only guest.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Sawyer and children, of W. High-st are home from Middletown where they enjoyed the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. Elizabeth Welsh, of Bruce-av, presided at a prettily appointed 5 o'clock tea at the Hotel Norval Monday.

Guests were seated at one large table, which was attractively decorated with holiday appointments. A centerpiece of red roses and ferns graced the table while nut baskets and favors carried out the predominant color scheme of red and green. Bills of generosity were placed here and there and a mellow glow was afforded by tall red candles in crystal holders, tied with red tulle.

Miss Welsh's guests included Misses Mary Margaret Bourk, Lois Klingler, Betty Hay, Susie Cooney, May Stansbury, Geraldine Duffield, Genevieve Cullen, Margaret and Mary Angela Lynch, Margaret Graham Alvina Carlosi, Alice Conella, Florence Newman, Marie Lincoln, Yeabelle Gienzer, Helen Hamilton, Pauline O'Connor, Catherine Galvin, Rosemary Christen, Jane Bentley, Helen McGinnis, Eleanor Hawisher, Louise Ackerman, Josephine Purisher and Kathleen Hanley.

In celebration of her seventh birthday anniversary Grace Herring, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Herring, of Holly-st, entertained a group of guests Saturday evening. Music and games were the entertainments of the evening and later a delicious lunch was served.

Guests included Helen Klingler, Ellen A. Arthur, Pauline Kipper, Alice Harter, Marian Arthur, Alice Deatendeftin, Wilma Miller, Pauline Baber, Naomi Gorman, Ruth Herring, Arta Arthur, Mrs. Ames Binkley, of Delphos, Mrs. Oscar Lund and son Master Roger, of Akron and Mr. and Mrs. Herring.

Daughters of the American Revolution will meet with Mrs. Fred Beam, of W. High-st, Saturday afternoon. Assistant hostesses will be Mrs. Alice Hill, Mrs. Willard M. Price and Mrs. J. R. Welch.

Dr. G. F. Gurley returned to Pittsburgh after a visit at the H. G. Sharpley home, W. Market-st.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McLean and children, of W. Market-st, are home from a short visit in Sandusky where they visited over New Years.

Miss Margaret Cooper, of Green Bay, Wis., a student at Lake Forest Academy, returned Monday to resume her studies after visiting over the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. George Carter, of W. Market-st.

George Frautner returned to Anderson, Ind., after a short visit at the W. C. Bradley home, Shawnee.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Holstine, of W. Elm-st, left Sunday for the south, where they will remain for the winter. They will visit in Miami and Latonia before going to their winter home in St. Petersburg.

Meeting of the Loyal Ladies of Olive Presbyterian church, which was to have been held Wednesday, has been postponed until Wednesday, January 11th at which time it will be held with Mrs. Frank Miller, of 788 Weadock-av.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Morton of Hume, and Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Morton celebrated their 21st wedding anniversary at the S. W. Morton residence on E. Market-st. New Year's Day. Music and social chat were the diversions and at noon a three course dinner was served. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. James Caldwell, Miss Marie Morton, Mr. and Mrs. George Morton, Irwin Conway, Miss Rachael Davis, of Van Wert; Phillip Taylor and George Montague.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Archinal entertained with a New Year's dinner honoring Mrs. Viola Cunningham and Master Rex Titus, of St. Louis. Covers were arranged for Mrs. Cunningham, Master Rex Titus, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Fitzsimmons, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Fitzsimmons and son Samuel, of Van Wert; Mr. and Mrs. H. Allen and son, Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Archinal, W. P. Fitzsimmons, E. G. Fitzsimmons and the host and hostess.

Miss Frances Amelia Griebeling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Griebeling of S. Nye-st, became the bride of Mark Kent, son of Rolla M. Kent, of W. High-st, Saturday evening. The marriage ceremony took place at the home of the officiating minister, the Rev. Warren L. Steeves, Mr. and Mrs. Kent are at home at 411 S. Nye-st.

Miss Maudine Stolzenbach left for Baltimore where she is a teacher at Goucher, after enjoying the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Stolzenbach, of W. Market-st.

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10 lbs. Gran. Sugar55c	5 boxes Matches25c
Almond Cream Nut and English 10c	75c Brooms50c
10 lbs. Pulverized Sugar90c	6 cakes H. W. Castile Soap25c
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1 gal. Red Pitted Cherries \$1.65	10 bars Flake White Soap60c
1 gal. Blackberries\$1.25	10 bars P. & G. Naptha Soap 60c
1 gal. Black Raspberries\$1.65	10 bars Fels-Naptha Soap65c
1 gal. Rub. Osh, best60c	10 bars Lenox Soap60c
1 gal. Apples, best65c	3-10c Ivory, H. W. Castile or Creme Oil Soap25c
1 gal. Pine Apples85c	Old Dutch Cleanser10c
1 gal. Apple Butter\$1.00	3 Climalene25c
2 cans Extra Good Corn25c	60c can Premier Plum Pudding40c
2 cans Extra Good Peas25c	3-10c Pkgs. Any Scrap25c
2 cans Red Salmon25c	7eco Pancake Flour10c
2 cans Tuna Fish25c	3 lbs. Homemade Kraut25c
2 lbs. Macaroni, bulk25c	3 lbs. Horse Shoe Tobacco65c
2 lbs. Spaghetti, bulk25c	10c Smoking Tobacco5c
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TWO FILMS OFFER STUDY IN DIRECTION

(By ESTHER WAGNER)
THE best illustration of how much a film depends upon its director for interpretation of a story is furnished by the two film versions of "The Little Minister" now current.

Penrhyn Stanlaw's directed one picture starring Betty Compson, David Smith, directed the other starring Alice Calhoun.

Stanlaw is a painter, a student of pictorial composition. "The Little Minister" is the third picture he has directed. Its outstanding feature is its high pictorial quality. Stanlaw has also shown great ability in the development of characters.

Smith is a veteran in the motion picture business. The outstanding feature of his film is action. The latter half of the picture is enacted in a heavy storm with lightning flashes lending a bizarre effect to the action.

Smith disregarded the fact that he had in Miss Calhoun one of the most beautiful women of the screen. He subordinated a play upon her personality to a play for sensationalism in action.

THE STORY SOURCES
There has been much speculation as to the film rights to "The Little Minister" since two versions are appearing simultaneously. Stanlaw's made his for Paramount. Smith's was for Vitagraph.

In an "omnibus" contract Paramount bought from Charles Frohman, Inc., screen rights to all Barrie plays staged by that concern. Among them were "Sentimental Tommy," "What Every Woman Knows," "The Little Minister" and "Peter Pan."

Vitagraph had previously purchased screen rights to the book version of "The Little Minister" and made a film based on the story a number of years ago.



Betty Compson. She is the star of Paramount's version of "The Little Minister," directed by Penrhyn Stanlaw.



Alice Calhoun. She is the star of Vitagraph's production of "The Little Minister," directed by David Smith.

Mary's Back—As She Used to Be

THIS picture "Thru the Back Door" gives Mary Pickford back to her followers, as, I believe, her followers like her best. "Short Dresses? Baby stare? Shoppers with straps on 'em? Thought you'd be pleased."

It's really rather amazing that the Mary Pickford of today is so like the Mary P. who made her bow long year ago under the old Biograph banner. The years haven't altered the appealing little face nor the little girl figure. And in "Thru the Back Door" she lets her curls down again.

The story is a romantic tale by Marion Fairfax, telling of little Jeanne Bordamere, daughter of a beautiful widow who, when Jeanne is five years old, marries again. The new husband doesn't exactly dislike the little girl but he is jealous of her, and persuades his wife to leave the child in the care of a nurse while they enjoy an extended honeymoon.

Five years elapse. The nurse-maid marries and takes Jeanne to live with her, caring for her as her own child. And when the mother finally arrives to claim her, Marie tells her that the child is dead. The Reeves then return to America.

Several years again elapse when Marie, repenting, sends the child back to her mother. The rest of the picture is taken up with the adventures of all concerned that lead to reunion, etc.

You will notice that brother Jack's name appears as director. He did a splendid job. And the supporting cast is excellent. Certainly any star is lucky to have the support of Gertrude Astor and Mr. Lucas, Miss Astor, you know, is a former Luma girl. Photography and scenery are pleasing and there are many good laughs to cheer you on your way.

"Thru the Back Door" is the Lyric's special attraction today and until Thursday.

"Molly O," With Mabel Normand Back Again

THE old Mabel's back again—the same old Mabel whom all the masculine fans had a case on. Back home, with Mack Sennett directing her in the way she should go—and it's a way only Sennett seems to know about.

She is Molly O'Dair in this picture, the blithe daughter of an honest watchwoman and a father who is a day laborer. Poor they are, and ignorant, but their daughter grows up clean and straight, and seeing that this was their life's ambition, they are satisfied.

You can readily understand their consternation when Molly O is discovered time and again in the company of a wealthy and handsome young doctor, for whom she openly displays a great admiration.

To tell you all the story would be

to rob you of your enjoyment in the picture, so I mustn't. Really, tho, the picture's delightful. It's different and shows that Mabel is capable of some serious acting as well as the comedy stuff. And no one seems to know just how Mr. Sennett makes Mabel so funny, but he certainly has the knack. A wink, a nudge, a tilt to the funny hat and you are here, responding with wide grin or hearty laughter.

Each character is splendidly portrayed; there are several gorgeous scenes, ball-room and such, that are beautiful. The film is not too long, either. So, all told, it's a safe bet that you'll enjoy every minute of "Molly O." And here's hoping for a continuance of the Sennett-Normand variety.

At the Sigma all this week.

Peter B. Kyne's "Cappy Ricks" at Faurot

THE "Cappy Ricks" stories by Peter B. Kyne have been widely read and enjoyed. The play from the original stories was a success, and the picture, while a bit bump and padded, registers as a success. Thomas Meighan is in it, you know, so if you don't care for the story, you'll certainly like Mr. Meighan. So—

The principal characters in the story are Cappy Ricks, eccentric old

ship owner; his daughter Florrie, and Matt Peasley, mate on one of his boats.

A series of unusual and strenuous circumstances brings young Matt to the adoring notice of the daughter and the decidedly vice versa contemplation of Cappy Ricks. Papa puts up a bold fight but is licked at every turn by the determined outsider, who, in the end, saves both father and daughter when in the

Orpheum Has New Bill

THE BROADWAY FLIRTS CO. in presenting "Follies of Pleasure" offer patrons a galaxy of bright music, comedy and all the rest of the material that goes to make up a musical show.

The present bill will continue until Thursday, when a new program is scheduled. Amateur contests will be held on Friday evenings, now, instead of on Wednesday. Country Store is to be the piece de resistance at the Orpheum on Wednesday, from now on.

THEATRE DIRECTORY

AT THE MAJESTIC
"Flashes of Action," the official war films, appear on the Majestic's program today. Actual battles are shown, air attacks, and the actual warfare as seen by the U. S. Signal Corps, under whose direction the pictures were taken.

Also today, Alice Joyce is seen today and Wednesday in "Her Lord and Master." War tax is still in progress at the Majestic, on adults admission fee. It seems there's been some misunderstanding about that.

SCREEN SHADOWS
"Don't Doubt Your Wife" is the title of the first of the new series starring Leah Baird.

Historical data of the Union Pa-

ture in France when she completes her present vaudeville engagement.

"Unknown Switzerland," an Educational-Bruce scenic, has been recommended by the National Motion Picture League for class-room instruction.

Buck Jones is finishing "The Fast Mail," his current starring vehicle for Fox.

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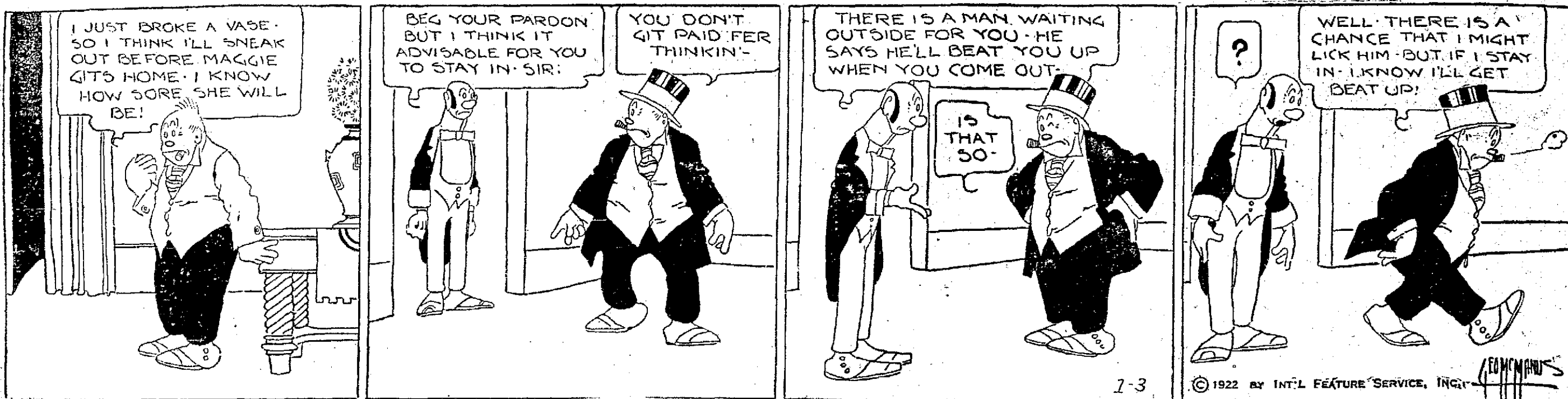
MUTT AND JEFF—IT SEEMS THAT MUTT HAS NO SENSE OF HUMOR AT ALL—

By BUD FISHER



BRINGING UP FATHER—

By McMANIS



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SHORT SHAVINGS

Patrolman Chas. Bliskin, was startled when he saw a crowd jammed in an alley off Main-st. "Is there a fight going on?" he asked. "No," said a man who was coming out. "A guy is selling neckties."

Manager Bob Shaw of the Orpheum, was presented with a silver pocket flask for Christmas.

An acquaintance who saw him open the flask in reports that instead of looking first to see if it were marked sterling he "held it up to his ear and shook it."

Miss Margaret Jane Dussen left her umbrella in a restaurant. She went back the next day and was surprised to find her umbrella standing just where she left it. "But while I

was eating lunch with my back to the umbrella," she says, "some one walked off with it."

Chief of Police Louis Oelberg of Delphos, found that burglars broke into a grocery, and then, not noticing

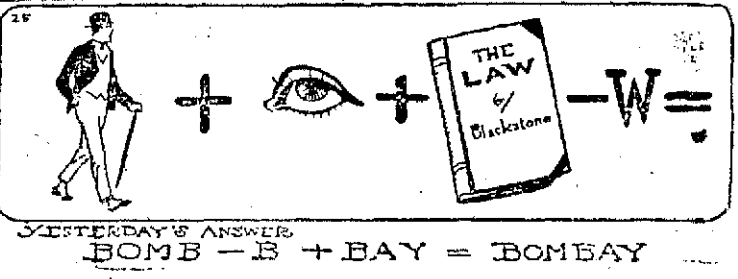
an open door between the grocery and the meat market next door, they went outside and broke into the market. Chief Oelberg thought that a good joke on the burglars. But the market man, said, "I don't think that is very comical."

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NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS
The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Citizens Loan and Building Company, of Lima, Ohio, will be held at their office on Friday, January 20th, 1922, at 7 o'clock, p. m., for the election of directors and such other business as may come before said meeting.
J. A. Feltz, Sec.
Lima, Ohio, December 19th, 1921.
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NOTICE FOR PAROLE
Notice is hereby given that Burley Shopper, a prisoner now confined in the Ohio State Reformatory, Mansfield, Ohio, is entitled under the law and rules governing paroles from said institution, to recommendation to the Board of Clemency, by the Superintendent and Chaplain as worthy of consideration for parole. Said application will be for hearing on and after Jan. 10, 1922.
G. P. Garver, Chief Clerk.
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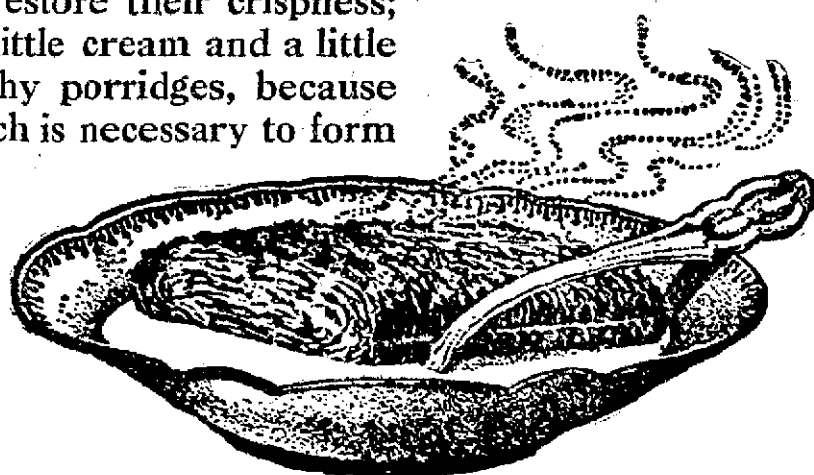
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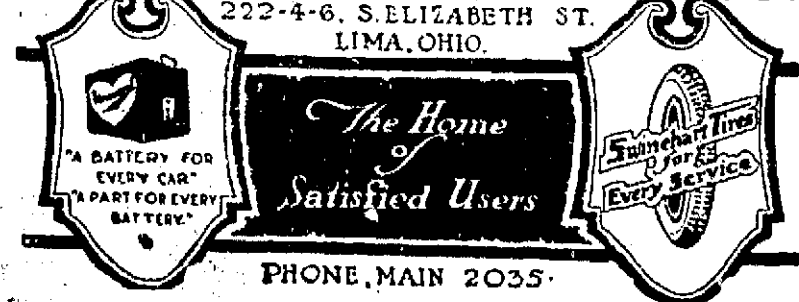
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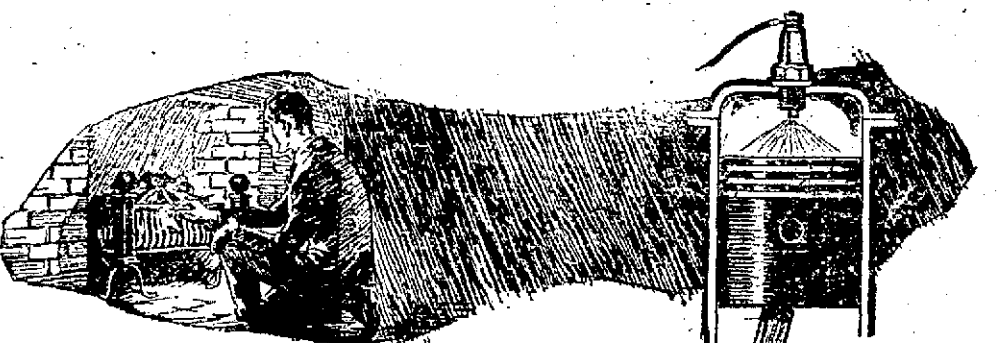
A gasoline made up of (1) a certain fraction of light gasoline which "boils" or vaporizes at a low temperature and possesses quick starting properties; (2) fractions of increasingly heavier gasoline which vaporize and ignite successively, providing fast, smooth acceleration; and (3) the heaviest fractions which vaporize only when a high temperature is reached and thus insure full power throughout the entire length of the piston stroke.

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